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SUMMARY.

News has reached New York that the Titanic has sunk, and that the Carpathia is carrying the survivors.

It is known that 675 persons have been saved, but it is feared that many have perished.

The officials of the White Star Company believe that 1500 of the Titanic's passengers have been drowned.

The details are rather meagre and contradictory.

It is supposed that all the first-class passengers were rescued.

The offices of the company in New York are besieged by the friends of a large number of wealthy Americans who were on board.

The absence of news has caused excitement almost approaching a panic.

The Olympic reports that when she reached the scene of the disaster floating wreckage was all that remained of the Titanic.

Incoming liners report the presence of an abnormal amount of ice in the North Atlantic.

The Titanic cost £1,250,000. The hull and cargo were insured for £2,350,000.

The House of Commons was crowded when the debate on the Home Rule Bill was resumed.

Mr. Balfour condemned the scheme as botched and unworkable.

The Prime Minister's experiment, he said, had proved unworthy of British statesmanship.

Mr. W. T. Wilson, M.P. (Labour), has received £250 from the New Zealand press fund for the relief of the strike distress.

The English Rugby Union has decided not to invite a New Zealand team this year, on account of the South African visit.

Twenty-five of the suffragists at present serving sentences in prison have been fed forcibly.

The "Herald," a new halfpenny morning Labour paper, was published in London on Monday.

The Quebec Legislature has been dissolved, and the elections have been fixed for May 18.

The situation in Mexico City is serious, and members of the American colony are armed with rifles.

The duplication of the railway line between Sydney and Newcastle is now complete.

The service between Newcastle and the metropolis will be accelerated, the journey being covered in about three hours.

As a result of the ballot in the Werriwa electorate, Mr. J. Lynch has been selected as the Labour candidate.

The polling day has been fixed for June 1.

A new steamer is to be built for the Watson's Bay ferry service.

It will be a sea-going boat, which will enable the company to establish a service between Watson's Bay and Manly.

The Customs and Excise revenue collected during the week ended April 14 showed an increase of £43,626.

A report on the Royal Show in Sydney was submitted to the council of the Victorian R.A.S.

Several proposals were made for the improvement of the Melbourne show.

The High Court reserved judgment in the City Council's appeal as to demolition of property.

A case was heard in the Banco Court yesterday in which the issue was whether the plaintiff boarded a moving tram.

Mr. Justice Pring remarked, "I certainly have never tried it, as I do not see much use in gaining a minute and losing a leg."

At the Druids' conference it was reported that the total strength of the order was 32,700, a net increase of 2550 members.

A discussion took place regarding the closing of dispensaries and chemists' shops at 6 o'clock in the evening.

The matter was left with the board, which is to take steps to ensure that members can obtain medicines at any hour.

Dirty bank notes are coming in freely to the Commonwealth Treasury, and the destructor staff is kept busy.

Up to yesterday over £400,000 worth of notes had been put through the incinerator.

The water supply at Tamworth is becoming alarmingly low. The Public Works Department is expediting the pumping scheme.

The Public Works Committee took evidence at Wollongong in regard to the extension of the northern breakwater at Port Kembla.

An at-home was held at the Y.W.C.A. yesterday, in connection with the movement to raise funds for the new building.

The work of making Fort Macquarie the terminus of the trams running to Circular Quay will shortly be commenced.

The question of an experiment farm for the Cooma district was brought under the notice of the Premier yesterday.

At the municipal council meeting at Narrabri West, the whole of the aldermen and the town clerk handed in their resignations.

The action originated out of a debate on the municipal valuations and the new rate, which caused much bitterness.

The warship Protector arrived off Dangar Island, having on board 60 recruits for the annual training.

A special meeting of the Broken Hill Proprietary mine employees has been called to consider important matters.

These include proposals for a 44-hours week, and that unionists should not work with non-unionists.

The meeting is regarded as possibly having far-reaching effects.

Sir Joseph Ward was accorded an enthusiastic send-off at Wellington on his departure for Australia.

Serious trouble occurred among the prisoners in Lyttelton gaol, and culminated in a strike.

Warnings by the gaolers were of no avail, and eventually a force of the Permanent Artillery and police was sent to the scene.

The prisoners lined up sullenly, received their evening rations, and were locked up for the night.

Good progress is being made with the work of laying out the experimental farm at Rum Jungle, in the Northern Territory.

The traffic manager of the Japanese Government Railways in Formosa is visiting Australia to study railway matters.

Passengers complain of the overcrowding of the mail train which left Sydney on Monday night for Hay.

It carried an enormous crowd of South-western people, returning from the Easter holiday in the city.

A man savagely attacked his wife near Windsor, and split her head open with an axe. She is unlikely to recover.

The Liberal campaign for the Senate was opened in the Paddington Town Hall last night.

The principal speaker was Senator Millen, who delivered a vigorous address. He said that the Labour tide was ebbing.

The Lord Mayor's recommendation that the council should purchase a metal quarry was considered yesterday.

It was arranged that the aldermen should visit all the available quarries.

It is reported that Mr. B. R. Wise will submit his name to the Wentworth Labour League for selection at the Federal elections.

Four additional inspectors in the industrial department have been appointed, bringing the number up to 10.

At the blood stock sales yesterday Cadonia was sold for 850 guineas. Woad realised 600 guineas, and True Spec 550 guineas.

The Victorian State miners have rejected the scheme for future working of the mine. All unionists are to be called out.

A deputation from the Victorian police force asked the Premier for increased pay, and the restoration of pensions.

A new woollen mill, making the third in Hobart, is to be erected near the Cascades.

The market for breadstuffs was again excited yesterday, and sales were made at up to 4s 1d for prompt delivery.

Business in the mining market was steady, and prices were well maintained.

Forecast.—Fine and warm generally, except for some scattered thunder showers; northerly winds, veering to southerly in the far west.

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SYDNEY to RAROTONGA and PAPEETE.—*R.M.S. AORANGI, April 20.
AUCKLAND to TONGA, SAMOA, FIJI, and SYDNEY.—*T.S.S. TOFUA, April 29; *ATUA, May 21.
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MACLEAY RIVER.—YULGILBAR, TUESDAY NEXT.
MANNING RIVER.—MAIANBAR, FRIDAY NEXT.
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MOTOR CAR BUSINESS.—TO INVESTORS.—A Gentleman thoroughly competent to carry on the motor car building business, having pioneered some of the leading concerns in the line in the State, wishes to make a start on his own account, requires some one with capital to assist, good returns for money invested. Apply A. X., Post-office, Castlereagh-street.

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ACTIVE MAN, deliver papers, mornings only. Early, Edge's News Agency, Victoria-st, L'sham.

A USEFUL GIRL, 18, for pastrycook's shop. 9 a.m. 87 Oxford-st, city.

A FIRST-CLASS COACHSMITH wanted. Angus and Son, Sloane-st, Enmore.

A LAD wanted, for blacksmith's shop. Angus and Son, 1607 Castlereagh-st.

AUSTRALIAN FOOTBALL.—APPLICATIONS called for Positions of CENTRAL UMPIRE. Meeting, Sports Club, Hunter-street, MONDAY, 22nd April.

A SMART LAD, 15 to 17, wanted, for city office. Apply own handwriting, copy references, 921, Herald.

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A GOOD OPPORTUNITY.—Smart LAD wanted, for our Book Department. ROBERTSON'S, Booksellers, 238 Pitt-street.

ASSURANCE.—A Junior Clerk with 2 or 3 years' experience required by a leading Fire and Accident Company.
Apply, stating age, experience, salary expected, and with copy of testimonials,
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APPLICATIONS are invited for a duly qualified MEDICAL PRACTITIONER to act as DOCTOR for Stanford Merthyr Colliery. Applications close Tuesday, April 23rd. For further particulars and conditions apply
H. F. ARNALL,
Secretary Medical Committee;
or N. MURPHY, Chairman,
Kurri Kurri.

APPLICATIONS FOR SHIRE CLERK.
APPLICATIONS are invited from persons holding the necessary certificate under the L.G. Act, for the POSITION of SHIRE CLERK to the Gilgandra Shire Council. Applicants to state age, and the earliest date on which they could commence duty.
Salary to be at the rate of £225 per annum.
Applications close on THURSDAY, 18th April, 1912.
Council-chambers, GEO. G. LEE,
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Applications are invited from experienced Men, capable of taking full charge of New Business Solicitation in large districts; also from capable Canvassers, not necessarily with insurance experience.
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JAMES MARMONT, Manager.

New South Wales Government Railways,
Office of the Chief Commissioner,
Sydney, 12th April, 1912.
APPLICATIONS for the Position of Adult Clerk will be received until the 19th instant. Commencing salary, £120 per annum.
Applicants, who must have attained 21 years, and be under 40 years of age, are to state their experience, if any, they had in timekeeping and stores work.
The applications, stating date of birth, and accompanied by copies only of testimonials, are to be addressed, "The Secretary to the Staff Committee, Wilson-street, Newtown;" and endorsed, "Application for Position of Adult Clerk."
By order,
J. S. SPURWAY, Secretary.

New South Wales Government Railways,
Office of the Chief Commissioner,
Sydney, April 12, 1912.
APPLICATIONS will be received from YOUTHS between the ages of 15 and 19 years, who desire to be considered for employment as JUNIOR PORTERS, CAR CLEANERS, OFFICE BOYS, and SHOP BOYS.
The applications must be made on forms, which can be obtained at the Staff Committee's Offices, Wilson-street, Newtown; at the Tramway Offices, Lincoln Inn-chambers, 28 Elizabeth-street, 61 Hunter-street (Blashki-building), Sydney, and at the Traffic Staff Office, Eddy-avenue, Sydney Railway Station.
All applications are to be addressed "The Secretary to the Staff Committee, Wilson-street, Newtown," and the envelopes endorsed, "Application for Employment as Junior Porter," or as the case may be.
By order
J. S. SPURWAY, Secretary.

BOY, to make himself generally useful in pntg. office. Turner and Henderson, Jamieson-st.

BOY wanted for grocery, leaving school preferred. F. Thornton, Crown and Devonshire sts.

BRICKLAYERS, and Bricklayer's Labourer. Bay-rd, off Lane Cove-rd, North Sydney.

BRICKLAYER wanted (C. Hanson), 14s, fares, Stockinbingal, F. M. Bruggy, Com. Htl., Stockinbingal.

BOOT Repairer.—Wtd., a Hand or Improver; early. Bring kit. C. W. Beecher, Gordon-rd, Gore Hill.

POSITIONS VACANT.

BRICKLAYERS.—Wanted, Bricklayers, 12s day. Apply Daly's job, Macauley-st, Stanmore.

BAKERS.—FOREMAN, first-class, wanted. G. S. Blair, Burwood.

BOY.—Respectable LAD, learn Manufacturing Jewellery. Goldstein, Perring, 112A King-st.

BOY, respectable, required for office, just left school preferred. Apply 421 Kent-st.

BOYS wanted for our Music Department. W. H. Paling and Co., Ltd., 338 George-st.

BRICKLAYER'S Labourer, 11s per day, new job, no ladder work. W. Mutch, Pen. Hills-rd, Normanhurst.

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BOYS wanted, 12s 6d, 15s. Jackson and Macdonald, Phonographs, Druitt-st.

BAKER'S IMPROVER, country, £2, dry pay, fare paid. Frank and James, 16 Elizabeth-st.

BOY, respectable and well-educated, for office. Apply by letter, Box 1573, G.P.O.

BOY wanted. West's Patent Tyre-setter Co., Ltd., 60 Bay-st.

BOY wanted, Office and Messenger. F. E. Munro, A.M.P. Contract, Pitt-st.

BOYS.—Smart Boy wanted for Printing Office, good wages. Jagger and Kibblewhite, 105 Liverpool-st.

BOOT TRADE.—Wanted, Machinists and Bench Hands. J. W. Ward, Central-st, city.

BOOT Trade.—Machinist wanted, plain work, 27s 6d, const. T. V. O'Rourke, James-st, off Sussex-st.

BOY, intelligent, wanted, for Despatch Office, 15s to commence. Simmons-Bloxham, Printers, 56 Druitt-st.

BOY wanted, smart, useful, no Saturday work. Enterprise Mfg. Co., 47 Market-st.

BOOT TRADE.—Wanted, good Repairer on pumps. 169 Castlereagh-st, city.

BOOKBINDERS.—QUARTER BINDER. Matthews and Co., 180 Goulburn-st.

BOYS.—Wanted, 2 smart BOYS to learn tailoring trade. Crown Tailoring Co., 464 George-st.

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BOOT TRADE.—Wanted, Fitters and Machinists, also Girls to learn the trade. Enoch Taylor, Botany.

BOOT TRADE.—Wanted, Girls for the Lufkin Folder. ENOCH TAYLOR, Botany.

BOOT TRADE.—Smart Boy wanted to learn trade. S. Anderson, 66 Military-rd, near School, Mosman.

BOOT TRADE.—MAKERS wanted, constant. Burrows, rear 558 George-st.

BOY wtd., errands and useful, 10s. Chick, Umbrella Maker, 104 New Canterbury-rd, Petersham.

BOOT TRADE.—Wanted, Mach. and Tier-off. Symons Bros., 194 New Canterbury-rd, Petersham.

BRICKLAYERS.—Wanted, good MEN. Parkes and Carabella sts, Milson's Point.

BUTCHERS.—Wanted, Shopman, also Man to cut and deliver. Carnegie and Son, Miller-st, N. Sydney.

BUTCHERS.—Wanted, smart Lad, delivering, orders. After 10 a.m., James, Slade-st, Naremburn, N. Syd.

BOOT TRADE.—Wanted, good General Repairer, early. A. Martin, 155 Military-rd, near P. Sch'l, Mosman.

BOY wanted for tailor's shop, chance to learn trade. T. J. M'Colgan, Ocean House, 1st flr., Moore-st.

BOYS, farms, South Coast, learn to milk, 8s, 7s, treated one family. 36 Elizabeth-st.

BOY, strong, for clothing workroom, gd. chance learn trade, 15s w. start. 65 Royal Arcade.

BOY wanted, in Joinery Works. 53 City-rd, Darlington.

BOOT TRADE.—Wanted, MACHINISTS. S. Harper and Co., Barlow-st, Haymarket.

BRICKLAYERS' LABOURER. Apply Catherine and Piper sts, Leichhardt. O. A. Smith.

BOOT TRADE.—Wanted, Machinists and Tiers-off. Jackson and M'Kinlay, George st, Erskineville.

BOOT TRADE.—Wanted, Girls for socking and sizing. Larbalestier Bros., 108 Henderson-rd, Alexandria.

BOOTMAKER wanted, Improver or Aged Man, for rep. Const., gd. wages. A. Walker, Avenue-rd, Mosman.

BOOT TRADE.—Wanted, first-class Bench Hand, full wages, 2 days or more. 17 Flinders-st, D'hurst.

BRICKLAYER wanted, 13s a day. Apply Donald's job, martin-rd, bottom Centennial Park.

BRICKLAYERS wanted. A. Wilson, 10 Lord-st, Newtown.

BOOT TRADE.—Wanted, good PUMP HAND, for repairs. 80 Harris-st, Pyrmont.

BRICKLAYER wanted, good. Rowe's Job, Seymour-st, Enfield.

BOYS wanted, good wages. Ap. Thomas Danks, Canister Works, Zetland Tram Term., Waterloo.

BOOT TRADE.—Wanted, first-class Bench Hand, no rivet work, highest wages, const. 425 Crown-st, S.H

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BAKER.—Wanted rel., sober Hand for country. Apply L. Grimwood, Granville.

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BOOT TRADE.—Wanted, GIRLS for Packing Room, Girls, Socking, Sizing. Wilson, Pechter, Alex.

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BOOT TRADE.—Wanted, FITTERS, IMPROVERS, GIRLS for Luskin Folder, also Girls to learn.
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Wanted, smart, clean, respectable BOYS, just leaving school preferred. Good chance to learn healthy, clean, easy trade.
Wages 10s week to start. Apply 9 a.m., upstairs,
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BARRABA SHIRE COUNCIL.
SHIRE ENGINEER.
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Applicant must thoroughly understand Road-making Plant, and must state age and qualifications, and date on which he is prepared to take up duties.
Successful applicant will also be required to provide his own instruments and means of travelling. Salary at the rate of £350 per annum.
H. W. ADCOCK,
Shire Clerk.
Barraba, April 10, 1912.

CARPENTERS wanted, new villa, next Pub. School, Norm'hurst. W. Mutch, Mt. Pleasant, Norm'hurst.

CYCLE Mechanic wanted, first-class frame builder. Maud's, 515 George-st.

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COACHSMITH.—First-cl. Man wtd. for ctry., constant work, gd. wages. William Atkins, 451 Kent-st.

CARPENTERS.—Wanted, smart Fixer. After 8 a.m. on job, N. James, Bldr., Binning-st, Ersk'ville.

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POSITIONS VACANT.

CARPENTER.—Wanted, ROOF HAND. 71 Regent-st, Newtown.

CARPENTER.—Wanted, gd. Gen. Hand. Sladen, cor. Wardell-rd and Pile-st, Dulwich Hill.

CABINETMAKERS wanted, first-class, constant work, top wages. Henry J. Ricketts, Queen-st, Chip'dale.

CARPENTERS wanted, highest wages to good men, long job. Empress of India Hotel, Alexandria.

CONCRETE HANDS wanted. Kilner's Stables, side of Fowler's Pottery, Camperdown. F. Stokes.

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CANVASSERS (4), superior line, good money, permanent, ladies pref. D'Arcy, 110B Bathurst-st.

CANVASSERS for ENLARGEMENTS.—Max Tutun executes Portraits in Oils, Sepia, and B. and W., for the trade. 42 Arthur-st, Paddington, Sydney.

COUNTRY BLACKSMITH.—Wanted, good all-round MAN, for a country shop. Apply by letter, stating wages, etc, 97 Derwent-street, Glebe.

CARPENTER wanted. Apply early to-day, Coronation Picture Theatre, Crown and Cleveland sts, Redfern.

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Railway-parade, off Edgeware-road,
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CLERK.
Apply METTERS, LIMITED,
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Alexandria.

CAPMAKERS.—Wanted, MACHINISTS and HAND SEWERS, constant work, highest wages.
NO SATURDAY WORK.
C. ANDERSON and CO., Ltd.,
Albion and Nicholls streets,
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COONABARABRAN HOSPITAL.
Wanted MATRON for above Institution. Salary £70 per annum. Applications, received not later than 30th April, to state age, when prepared to take up duties, and be accompanied by medical certificate.
P. K. ROGERS,
Hon. Secretary.
Coonabarabran, April 13, 1912.

DRESSMAKER.—Wanted, an experienced Hand, also Apprentice, for priv. bus. 10 Oxford-st, Woollahra.

DRESSMAKING.—Wanted, Improvers and Apprens. Apply Merrimac, M'Arthur-parade, Dulwich Hill.

DRESSMAKING.—Wanted, experienced FINISHERS. Madame Gardiner, 164 William-st, Darlinghurst.

DRESSMAKERS.—Expd. Person to take charge of Table. Enterprise Mfg. Co., 47 Market-st.

DRESSMAKING.—Wtd., yng. Girls as Apprens. to learn Dressmaking. Miss Higman, Equitable-bldg.

DRAINERS, Licensed, wanted, new job, cor. Wentworth-av and Goulburn-st, city, near Mark Foy's.

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DRESSMAKING.—Wanted, smart Improvers and Apprentices. 10 Northumberland-avenue, Stanmore.

DRESSMAKING.—Wanted, gd. Improver, one used to machine. Miss Talbot, Bonnyrigg, Moree-st, Gordon

DRESSMAKING.—Wanted, Improvers and Apprentices. Miss Shanahan, 141 Princes-st, city.

DRESSMAKING.—Wanted, Improver to Dressmaking. Miss Lowe, 214 Johnston-st, Annandale.

DRESSMAKING.—Wanted, Skirt Hands and Apprentices, constant. Miss Keehan, 201 George-st.

DRESSMAKING.—Wanted, smart Improvers. Also Assistants. Apply 664 Crown-st, Surry Hills.

DRESSMAKING.—Wanted, a Bodice Hand. Open two days. Mrs. Suttle, 7 New Canterbury-rd, Petsham.

DRESSMAKING.—Wanted, a Girl, about 14, as apprent. F. Francis, 12, 2nd fl., Vict.-chbs., Crgh.-st

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A smart SILK SALESMAN required, must understand his department, and be polite.
Apply 9.30 a.m., UPSTAIRS,
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VACANCY for COMPETENT SALESWOMAN in our Underclothing.
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Miss Florence, lately arrived from a well-known West-End House.
GOOD WAGES
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PERMANENT EMPLOYMENT.
Apply FOURTH FLOOR,
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EXPERIENCED Surveying Instrument Repairers and Mechanics for mathematical instrument work, wanted. Apply, with references, T. F. WIESENER, LTD., 334 George-street.

EXPERIENCED Canvassers for the sale of Gramophones and Records, special terms to good men. We are the original people, and handle the best goods. Apply 4 Adelphi-buildings, Haymarket.

FRAMEMAKER.—Strong LAD wanted. Apply Crown Studios, 448 George-st, Sydney.

FIRST-CLASS BOILERMAKERS, Holder-ups, wanted. Apply Mr. Davies, care Oil Works, Gore Bay.

FIBROUS FIXER wanted, top wages. Apply Berry, 134 Johnston-st, Annandale.

FURNACEMAN, used to reverberatory furnace, for Sth. Aus. State experience, Industry, Herald Office.

FRENCH POLISHERS wanted.
Apply G. TAYLOR and CO.,
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Foot of Bathurst-street.

FINANCIAL.—Wanted, educated German to develop new investment and thrift scheme, connected with Insurance, in German settlement, New South Wales.
Apply No. 6, First Floor, Challis House, Sydney.

FIRST-CLASS HANDS
wanted for our
FURNISHING DRAPERY WORKROOMS.
Apply ANTHONY HORDERN and SONS,
CLOTHING FACTORY,
SUSSEX-STREET.

GROCERY.—Wanted, smart JUNIOR, about 20 years, counter and assist cart, etc. Israel, Goulburn-st.

GIRL, smart, about 16, good writer. Jackson and Macdonald, Druitt-st.

GOVERNESS, at once, R.C., Trundle, adv. subj., £56; 6 others. Miss Father, 82 King-st.

GIRLS.—Wanted, Learners to Bookbinding. E. L. Jerrems, 189-191 Clarence-st.

GIRL, thor. bus. training, agency, under lady formerly Educ. Dept. Small sal. B.C., Hld., K.-st

GIRL wanted for Fitting Picture Frames, about 17. Apply E. Cummings, 8 Central-st, city.

GROCER.—Wtd., Snr. Asst., collect and deliver. Ap. early. J. F. Hawthorne, 63 New Cant-rd, P'sham

GIRLS.—Folders and Wire Stitchers wanted, good wages. Carter's Printing Wks., 377 Sussex-st.

GIRLS wanted, Peeling Onions. Parry's Pickle Factory, Waterloo.

GROCERS.—Wanted, a Youth in his 2nd or 3rd year. Apply C. J. Munford, 251 Parramatta-rd, Leichhardt.

POSITIONS VACANT.

GOOD AXEMEN, cut eucalyptus leaves, Braidwood, earn £3 to £4 week, 12 months' eng., good qtrs. Fitzpatrick, 11 a.m., Wed., Flynn's King-Kent sts

GIRLS WANTED for all Departments, previous experience not necessary. Good wages for smart workers. DILLON, BURROWS, Harris-street.

GOVERNESSES, 2, advanced pupils, £50, int. 12; 7 others, £30 to £35, city; W. Housekeeper, 25s; 14 Lady Workers, domestic duties, no laundry. Miss MACLACHLAN, 350 George-street. Tel., City 2222

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GOOD Opportunity for BOY in Merchant's Office.
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GIRLS wanted. No work on Saturdays.
HARDMAN BROS., LTD.,
Biscuit Factory, Enmore.

GOV., R.C., subsidised sch., Eng., piano, violin, £50; GOVS., stations, Eng. and mus., £40; NURS. GOVS., 2 lit. girls, Cooma, £35; Quirindi, £40; Lady Nurse, 1 lit. girl, 15s; 2 LADY WORKERS, h'work, brd.-house, 15s ea.; LADY HELPS. Miss LOVEGROVE, 82 King-street. T., 338 City.

GOVERNESSES' BUREAU.—GOV., 3 pupils, ENGLISH, adv. music, £45, GLEN INNES, girl 13, 2 boys, 11, 10; £45, Cattle Station, on CLARENCE; GOV. (no music), £35, NYNGAN, 4 pupils; £45, BELATA; £40, COONAMBLE, painting and music, 2 pupils; £40, BOGGABRI; £40, TRUNDLE; £45, near TENTERFIELD; NUR. GOV., £35, Windsor line; £70, math., coll.; Lady, asst. h'work, £40, sub. Rofe, 105 Pitt-st.

GIRLS.
PARENTS, do you want to put your Girls into a reliable house, where the hours are short, and the work light and congenial, the workrooms large, airy, and healthy, and every consideration is shown to workers. If so you should send your daughters to us. We are wanting four Apprentices for our stock workroom. Apply
Miss Carroll,
Mantle Showroom,
M'CATHIE'S, Ltd., Pitt-street.

GIRLS WANTED, FOR PACKING.
Several Vacancies for Girls.
Wages 12s to 16s.
Also good opportunities for few Learners, in all departments.
Apply to S. T. LEIGH and CO., Ltd.,
326 Castlereagh-street, corner Goulburn-street.

GILGANDRA SHIRE COUNCIL.
APPLICATIONS FOR ENGINEER.
APPLICATIONS are hereby invited from persons holding the necessary certificate under the Local Government Act for the position of SHIRE ENGINEER to the Gilgandra Shire Council, to include the position of Sanitary Inspector outside the Gilgandra Urban Area, and Inspector of Noxious Weeds.
Applicants to state age, whether married or single, and the earliest date on which they could commence duty if appointed.
Salary to be at the rate of £400 per annum, to include all allowances. Successful applicant to provide his own instruments.
Applications close on THURSDAY, 18th April, 1912.
GEO. G. LEE,
Council-chambers, Shire Clerk.
Gilgandra, April 4, 1912.

HAMMER-DRIVER wanted, for Forging Hammer. R. Tulloch and Co., Ltd., Pyrmont.

HAIRDRESSER.—Wanted, smart Improver, Shave and Cut Hair, bring tools. Craig, Aitken, 654 Geo.-st

HAIRDRESSER wanted, first-class improver, constant. J. Sotiers, 236 George-st N., city

HAIRDRESSERS.—Wanted, Improver, with 2 or 3 years' exp., gd. wages. Apply 43 Park-st.

HAIRDRESSER.—Wanted, smart Boy, to learn trade, splendid opp., gd. wages. Tonsor, Enmore P.O.

HARNESS MAKER wanted, good heavy hand. 327 Sussex-st.

HANDLEY and LEWIS, ELECTRICAL ENGINEERS,
105 PITT-STREET,
First-class ELECTRICAL MECHANICS wanted.
Apply early.

HARNESSMAKERS.—IMPROVER wanted, for Singleton, good stitcher. Wages Board Rates; fare refunded after 4 months' employment. Apply EDWARD BUTLER and SONS, Ltd., Hunter and Hamilton sts.

IMPROVER, Fitting, Turning, smart Youth, gd. prospects. W. J. Johnston, Ltd., Wilmot-st, city.

INVOICE CLERK wanted, previous experience necessary. Apply Warehouse, Box 1393, G.P.O.

IRONWORKERS. 186A George-st.

INVOICE CLERK.—JUNIOR wanted, knowledge of Hardware, good prospects to suitable applicant. Salary and copy references, SPECKO, Herald Office.

IRONMONGER, for suburban store, must be smart, and good salesman, one with knowledge of grocery and mercery preferred. Wages and refs.,
J. G., Herald.

INTELLIGENT superior business Woman for confidential Shorthand and Typing; can find opportunity for big possibilities to progress. Salary, £2 to start. RELY, Herald.

INSURANCE.—A Junior Clerk required by an old-established English Fire and Accident Company; one fresh from school preferred; commencing salary £30 per annum; increase in 3 months if satisfactory. Excellent prospects.
931, Herald Office.

JEWELLERS.—Compt. Setter, experienced Repairer, also Polisher. Rowe and Mallett, 135 King-st.

JOINERS.—4 wanted. Apply W. H. Hall, Buena Vista Hotel, Mosman.

JEWELLERY.—Wanted BANGLE MAKER and MOUNTER. Grant and Jardine, Sussex-st.

JUNIOR CLERK WANTED, one leaving school preferred. Apply Box 10, Rozelle P.O.

JUNIOR CLERK wanted, for shipping office, £26 to start. Apply Transport, Herald Office.

JOINERS wanted. Pollock and Pollock, builders, railway station, Epping.

JUNIOR CLERK wanted for Engineering Works, good shorthand, typist, etc. Apply with copies of references, and salary, to Engineer, King-street P.O.

JUNIOR CLERK wanted, good opportunity for smart youth; commencing salary 25s. State age, experience, 881, Herald.

JUNIOR CUSTOMS CLERK wanted. Apply, stating experience and salary required,
Box 270, G.P.O.

JUNIOR CUSTOMS CLERK required, for merchant's office, some experience necessary. Salary to commence 25s per week. Apply, with copies of references, to 6239, Herald Office.

JOINERY APPRENTICES.—We have Vacancies for a few well-behaved BOYS. Good chance to learn trade. Apply LANGDON and LANGDON,
Timber and Joinery Merchants, Annandale.

JUNIOR CLERK.—We have an opening for smart Junior Clerk. Apply, stating age and experience, to MERCHANT,
Herald Office.

JUNIOR in office wanted.
£32/10/, £45, £60, £75 per annum.
Excellent opportunity for youth with mechanical ability to learn Commercial Engineering.
Must be well educated.
BABCOCK and WILCOX, Ltd.,
427-9 Sussex-street.

KNITTERS (Hand) for babies' boots and pilchers, constant work; bring samples.
21 Sloane-street, Summer Hill.

KNITTING MACHINISTS.
Competent Machinists and first-class Finishers.
B. B. COMPANY,
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LABOURER wanted, corner Beach and Dudley sts, Coogee, to-day. Summerfield, on job. Shaw.

LEGAL.—Registration and General Clerk wanted. Pigott and Stinson, Solicitors, Castlereagh House.

LINO OPERATOR wanted, at once. Apply Ferguson and Roeder, 425 Kent-st.

LADS, for heating rivets. Apply Meadowbank Co., Meadowbank.

LABOURER wanted. R. J. Caldwell, new building, Railway-avenue, Wahroonga, near station.

LABOURERS wanted. Apply job, Harris-st, back of Glaciarium.

LADY HAIRDRESSER, competent. A. Jacques, 116 Pitt-st, opp. G.P.O.

LABOURERS wanted, pick and shovel work. Arundell Bros., 53 Parramatta-rd, Annandale.

LABOURER WANTED. Glanworth, Darling Point-rd, close to tram. J. Stidwill and Son.

LIMEWASHING.—Good Man wntd., no duffers. Bray's Factory, Shadworth-st, Paddington. Early.

LADY Bookkeeper and Typiste wanted. Apply after 10 a.m. to Australian Eucalyptus Oil Co., Ltd., 176 Elizabeth-street.

LIBERAL salary and good opportunity to secure business engagement for bright woman of will-power and fitness for responsibility, short training given for duties required. TRAINEE, Herald.

LADIES' TAILORING.
Wanted, smart TAILORESSES, for Coats; also TAILORESSES for Skirts.
Apply
Mr. Hudson,
DAVID JONES, LTD.,
155 Clarence-street,
Top Barrack-street.

MILLINERY.—Wanted, first-class Milliner, must have city experience. Miss McEwen, 568 George-st.

MILLINERY.—Wanted, smart Improvers and Apprentices. 568 George-st, city.

MACHINISTS and Improvers wanted, for mantle dept., const. work. Weingott, Sons, Ltd., 174A Sussex-st.

MINERS, COAL, experienced, Union Wages, Full particulars, Israel's Employment Ag., 27 Elizabeth-st.

MACHINISTS wtd. for Tents and Tarpaulins, good wages, constant. Chernock, 443 Kent-st, top fl.

MILLINERY.—Smart Imprvrs, city exp., also yng. Lady to learn sales. Miss Keenan, 286 Oxf.-st, B.J.

MACHINIST, white work and blouses, 20s to start, constant, no slack. 117 Elizabeth-st, Redfern.

MACHINISTS (2), underskirts, const. work. 40 High Holborn-st, off Cleveland-st, Surry Hills.

MACHINISTS, comp., hand, 17s 6d to £1, easy work. Apply day or evening, 157 Oxford-st, city.

MANAGING CLERK for Solicitor's Office, Wagga Wagga, must have good all round knowledge, qualified solicitor preferred. Apply W. M. J. WALSH, Solicitor, Wagga Wagga.

MACHINISTS (Power) wanted for Tents and Horse Rugs, strong girls can earn good wages.
SMITH, COPELAND, and CO., Ltd.,
204 Clarence-street.

MACHINISTS (Power) for Satin Underskirts, also good TUCKERS for Blouses, 46 hours per week, good wages. Write, stating experience and salary required, to Skirts, Herald Office.

MESSENGER BOY wanted, one just left school preferred. Apply
Miss GREEN,
The Green Salon, 148 Pitt-street.

MILLINERY.—IMPROVERS wanted for our workrooms. R. C. HENDERSON,
Parker-street, Haymarket.
2 minutes from Central Railway Station.

MILLINERY.—APPRENTICES and IMPROVERS wanted; good opportunity for smart girls.
Miss GREEN,
The Green Salon, 148 Pitt street.

MACHINISTS.—Wanted, first-class MACHINISTS for Costumes, good wages paid, constant work.
B. FARBSTEIN,
443 Kent-street.

MOULDER wanted, to take charge of new Foundry; only first-class men, with the right qualifications, need apply.
860, Herald.

MINERS wanted, 4 Hand and 4 Machine Men.
Apply The Manager,
[illegible] Copper Mine, [illegible].

POSITIONS VACANT.

MATRON wanted for GOODOOGA HOSPITAL. Take charge 8th MAY next, salary £65 per annum. Must be member A.T.N.A. Copies of testimonials will be received, and full particulars supplied by JAS. SMITH, Secretary.

MUNICIPALITY OF QUIRINDI.
Fresh Applications are invited, and will be received up to 4 p.m. on FRIDAY NEXT, the 19th instant, from gentlemen qualified under the Local Government Act, for Position of TOWN CLERK to this Municipality, at a salary of £200 per annum, with an increase to £250 per annum when the water supply is installed in a few months. Applications to be addressed to the Mayor, and endorsed "Town Clerk."
W. P. B. HUNGERFORD,
Quirindi, Acting Town Clerk.
April 13, 1912.

MILDURA WORKINGMAN'S CLUB.
Applications are invited up to and including WEDNESDAY, 1st May, 1912, for the Position of MANAGING SECRETARY in connection with the Mildura Workingman's Club, at a salary of £5 per week. Applicants must furnish copies (only) of testimonials. Particulars as to age, past experience, and present employment should be given. Applicants to endorse, "Application for Manager," and addressed to Chairman of Committee.
By order.
J. M. DRUMMOND.

MUNICIPALITY OF WILLOUGHBY.
JUNIOR CLERK.
APPLICATIONS (in own handwriting), endorsed "Application for Junior Clerk," and addressed to the undersigned, are invited for the Position, at a salary of £39 per annum. Applicants, who must be good writers and quick at figures, to state age, and forward copies of testimonials, by TUESDAY, the 23rd APRIL, 1912, up to 4 p.m.
Preference will be given to one residing within the district, and with a knowledge of shorthand and typewriting. Personal canvas of any Alderman will disqualify.
A. A. C. BASTIAN,
Town Clerk.
Town Hall, Willoughby,
16th April, 1912.

NURSE (Probationary) wanted, private hospital, salary £30 p.a. B.B., Milson's Point P.O.

NURSES' BUREAU.—TRAINED NURSES, CHILDREN'S NURSES, 15s, 16s, 18s, SUBURBS; £50, STN.; L. NURSE, go Q'LND., £52, 1st May. Miss ROFE, 105 Pitt-street.

OFFICE BOY wanted, good opportunity. Apply Billerwell, law stationer, P.O.-chbrs., 114A Pitt-st.

OFFICE Boy wanted, exp. pref., but not essential. Copies of refs. to Coal, Herald Office.

OFFICE BOY, one just from school, wages 12s 6d start, splendid prospects. Groth, 325 George-st.

PRINTERS.—Good L. Press Feeders wtd., males or females. Turner and Henderson, Jamieson-st.

PLUMBER wanted, 1st-cl. hand, new Bank job, cor. King and George sts, city.

PLATEN HAND wanted, permanent. Excelsior Printing Works, 158 Castlereagh-st.

PLATEN HANDS wanted, wages 25s. Matthews and Co., 180 Goulburn-st.

PLASTERERS WANTED, 14s and fares, long job, good men. Shaw's job, Arden-Neptune sts, Coogee.

PLUMBERS.—Wanted, first-class Hands. Alex. Donald, Builders' Exchange, 12 Castlereagh-st.

PHOTO.—Wanted, a Retoucher, also Assistant. Apply Crown Studios, 448 George-st.

PLASTERER wanted. Inquire at Epping Railway Station for Walsh's Job.

PLUMBERS wanted. Apply New Store, corner Mary Ann-st, and Jones-st, Ultimo.

PLUMBER.—Wtd., gd. Gen. Hand. Sinden, cor. N. Canterbury and Beach rds, Dulwich Hill.

PLUMBER wanted. T. Crover, 24 Junction-st, North Sydney.

PLASTERERS, wages 14s and fares. Apply new cottages, Richmond-rd, Rose Bay, nr. tram clock, 9.

PLASTERERS.—Wanted, good Plasterer. Toyer's Job, May-st, Marrickville West.

PLASTERER wanted. Day-st, Marrickville, off Illawarra-rd, 13s day. Grenham and Bullock.

PAPERHANGERS.—First-class Man. Marrickville Railway Gates, 7.15 a.m.

PRESSERS.—First-class Presser wanted. Australian Clothing Factory, 214 Sussex-st.

PLASTERER, 14s and fares. Apply Middingstone's job, Murray-rd, Beecroft.

PLUMBER.—Wanted, good General Hand. F. Meacle, 185 Riley-st, Surry Hills, 9 o'clock.

PRINTERS.—FEED BOY or GIRL, for d. folio, £1 per week. Kingston Press, 348 Crown-st.

PLASTERERS wanted. Six Shops, Enmore-rd, Newtown.

PRESSERS.—Seam Presser, also Boy to learn wanted. M. Samuels, Wentworth-p, off Kent-st, nr. Druitt-st

PLASTERERS wanted. Apply Stewart, new cottages, Market-st, off Darley-rd, R'wick. 14s day.

PLASTERER wanted. Victoria-parade, Manly. J. Pumfrey.

PLUMBER.—Wanted, GENERAL, 12s per day. Apply Tate, Bay-st.

PRINTING.—GIRLS wanted, for Packing-room, also Learners, good wages. Apply J. FIELDING and CO., Limited, Buckingham-street, Sydney, close to Railway Station.

PLASTERERS.—Wanted, Two Fixers, for Fibrous Ceilings. Apply to
J. E. JUSTELIUS, Architect,
49 Castlereagh-street.

PHYSICAL CULTURE.—Wanted, LADY INSTRUCTORS in Physical Culture for other States. Salaries from £150 to £250. Apply by letter,
BJELKE, PETERSEN, BROS.,
259 George-street,
Sydney.

PACKER.
FARMER and COMPANY, LIMITED,
require
A COMPETENT PACKER,
with experience in packing
GLASS, CHINA, FANCY GOODS,
Etc.
Apply
SECOND FLOOR,
GEORGE-STREET.

Metropolitan Board of Water Supply and Sewerage,
341 Pitt-street, Sydney, 16th April, 1912.
PROBATIONERS, BOARD'S WORKSHOPS.
VACANCIES exist in the Board's Service for FIVE (5) PROBATIONERS, three (3) for the LOW LEVEL SEWERAGE STATIONS, and two (2) for the METER WORKSHOPS, at Crown-street. Applications will be received, addressed to the Secretary, up to noon on TUESDAY, 30th inst, and candidates, who must be 16 years of age, will be required to pass an elementary educational examination. Pay to commence will be 15s per week, rising by annual increment to 48s per week.
(61-165) WILLIAM HOLMES, Secretary.

PUBLIC SERVICE BOARD,
4 O'Connell-street, Sydney,
April 16, 1912.
APPLICATIONS are invited for the following Positions, and should be made on a form for the purpose, obtainable at the office of the Board, or from Clerks of Petty Sessions in the country districts, and must reach the undersigned not later than the dates specified. All further information can be obtained from notices in Government Gazette, or on application to the undersigned:—
MONDAY, APRIL 22, 1912.
CADET, Department of Agriculture, to be trained in Apiculture. (Educational Division.) Salary, £100 per annum, with board and residence. Candidates must be not less than 17 years or more than 22 years of age. Applicants may be required to submit themselves to an examination, both written and practical. Candidates must give satisfactory proof of a good general education, and of fitness for the position of Expert in due course. Practical experience in Beekeeping will be of special value. Suitable applicants already permanently employed in the Public Service will receive first consideration.
ASSISTANT INSTRUCTOR (Female), Industrial School for Girls, Parramatta. (General Division.) Salary, £70, with quarters, rations, fuel, and light, valued at £40 per annum. Applicants should have had a good domestic training, and have a knowledge of dressmaking and cooking. They should be of good education, and capable of managing girls of from 15 to 18 years of age. They will be required to produce references as to character and fitness for the work. Suitable applicants already permanently employed in the Public Service will receive first consideration.
WEDNESDAY, APRIL 24, 1912.
ASSISTANT, Electrical Engineer's Branch, Department of Public Works (temporary). Rate of pay, £300 per annum. Applicants must have had a regular technical education, including instruction in mechanics and physics, and practical experience in the application of the principles involved in the development and transmission of power, and in the use of steam, hot-air, and products of combustion for heating and other purposes.
MONDAY, MAY 6, 1912.
SENIOR LECTURER IN MODERN LANGUAGES, Teachers' College, Sydney, Department of Public Instruction. (Educational Division.) Salary, £300 to £420 per annum, according to the qualifications and status of the selected applicant. Applicants must possess a competent knowledge of German and French, and must be thoroughly competent to give instruction in Phonetics. Suitable applicants already permanently employed in the Public Service will receive first consideration.
By order of the Board,
(9a-195) R. A. GILFILLAN, Secretary.

QUARRYMAN wanted. Apply at once, E. Hall, 193 Shadforth-st, Mosman.

RUBBLE Quarryman, at once. Apply Tom Scott's Quarry, Old South Head-rd, opp. Ostrich Farm.

REPORTER wanted, country bi-weekly, shorthand essential, State wages, exp., to B. B., Box 241.

RESP. GIRL, for high-class showcard work. Emery and Wregg, 26 Paling's-buildings, Ash-st.

SHEET IRONWORKER for Galvanised Black Iron work. Apply Meadowbank Co., Meadowbank.

SMART Clerk wanted, must have had exper. produce bus. State exp., age, salary req., Box 35, Hymkt.

STRONG young MAN, understand horses. Apply A. McGregor, produce store, Belmore.

SMART GIRLS wanted, just left school preferred, 10s week start. Pattinson and Co., 492 Kent-st, city.

SMART LAD for Apprenticeship to good trade. Dunkerley Hat Mills, 556A Crown-st, Surry Hills.

SMART young Lady wanted, used to weighing and labelling, clean work, 16s. Dillon, Burrows, Harris-st.

SMART BOYS WANTED, wages 12s to 15s to start. Dillon, Burrows, Harris-st.

SMART BOY, to learn good trade. Emery and Wregg, 26 Paling's-buildings, Ash-st.

SMART BOY, about 15, wages 10s start. S. Marsden and Co., 3 Collins-st, Annandale.

STEADY GIRLS wanted, for factory, light work. J. Sutton, corner Ross-st, Parramatta-rd.

SMART YOUTH wanted, for ham and beef shop. 304 Oxford-st, Bondi Junction.

STRONG YOUTH, for store work, bottle-washing, 17s 6d week. Turner and Co., 102 Sussex-st.

STONEBREAKERS and BRICKCLEANERS wanted. North-st, off Sussex-st, near Liverpool-st.

SMART BOY, just leaving school, required for office work, merchant's office, good handwriter. Apply by letter, P. T. TAYLOR, Limited, 141 York-street.

SMART young MEN, for outdoor work, good moneymaking scheme, experience not essential. Apply
GRAMODISC,
4 Adelphi-buildings, Haymarket.

SHEFFIELD STEEL MANUFACTURER wants capable AGENT; commission only. Reference and information to Box 8312, T. B. Browne's Advertising Offices, 163 Queen Victoria-street, London, Eng.

SMART BOY for ESTATE AGENT'S OFFICE.
Apply with references to
H.H.,
Herald Office.

SHIRTS.—Wanted, 12 Trimmers, 12 Collar Hands; also 6 Girls to cut cottons; highest prices.
BATES and CO., 337 Pitt-street,
near Liverpool-street.

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POSITIONS VACANT.

STRAW HAT TRADE.—We have VACANCIES for competent MACHINISTS; highest wages, permanent positions. W. and A. McARTHUR, Ltd., Junction-street, Forest Lodge.

STATION BOOKKEEPER.—Wanted, a Bookkeeper for large Dairying Establishment in Southern District, N.S.W. One with prev. experience pref. Salary £150 per annum. Apply, with copies references, to BOX 387, G.P.O., Sydney.

SHIPWRIGHTS.—Wanted, 3 or 4 competent MEN, for one of the northern rivers. Apply, with references, to WORKSHOP ENGINEER, Pyrmont Sugar Works.

STRONG LAD wanted, just from school preferred. Apply 9.30 a.m., Second Floor, PALING'S, 338 George-street.

SMART JUNIOR CLERK required for LEADING ESTATE AGENT'S OFFICE. Apply, stating salary required, references, to Box 1482, G.P.O.

SHIRTS. MACHINISTS, ALL BRANCHES. THE STANDARD MANUFACTURING CO., Mountain and Kelly streets, off George-street West.

SIR MOSES MONTEFIORE JEWISH HOME, 471 Dowling-street, Sydney. A JEWISH MATRON is required for this Home. Applications are to reach the Honorary Secretary at the above address on or before the 20th instant.

SHIRTMAKERS. Wanted, MACHINISTS, all branches, best work; highest prices. Also smart LAD, learn trade. CROWN, 6 Cunningham-street, off 427 Pitt-street.

SHORTHAND WRITERS AND TYPISTS. Wanted, one experienced and thoroughly competent SHORTHAND WRITER and TYPIST, 30s per week; also one ASSISTANT DITTO, 20s per week. Applicant to state clearly for which position she is applying, and what experience she has had. Previous experience in engineer's office preferred. Applications to ELECTRICAL ENGINEERS, Herald Office.

STRUCTURAL STEEL WORKERS REQUIRED. Men who can mark off from plans. 12 months' work guaranteed to competent men. 12s per day. THE SYDNEY STEEL CO., LTD., Edinburgh-road, Marrickville.

SHIRTMAKERS WANTED. SHIRTMAKERS—DOUBLE NEEDLE MACHINISTS, TRIMMERS, SEAMERS, And SLEEVE HANDS WANTED. Apply ANTHONY HORDERN and SONS, CLOTHING FACTORY, SUSSEX-STREET.

SHIRTS. WANTED, FINISHERS, SEAMERS, SLEEVE HANDS, GIRLS TO LEARN. Mr. POTTS, ROBERT REID and CO., LTD., Balfour-street, CHIPPENDALE, off George-street West.

SHIRE OF GOODRADIGBEE. APPLICATIONS are invited from competent PERSONS for the POSITION of DRIVER of TRACTION ENGINE (McLaren) to the above Shire Council. Wages, 12s 6d per day. Applicants to state age, previous experience, and enclose copies of references or certificates in their possession. Applications to be addressed to, and lodged with, the undersigned not later than Wednesday, 1st May, 1912. J. P. BECKETT, Shire Clerk. Yass, 15th April, 1912.

TWO strong LADS, used to painting, wages £1 weekly. 254 Pitt-st, city.

TIMEMAKERS.—Exp. Learners, no Saturday, liberal wages. Lloyd, 79 Union-st, North Sydney.

TO JOINERS.—Wanted, first-class MEN. F. E. Munro, A.M.P. Contract, Pitt-st.

TO Picture Framers.—Improver or Girl wanted, for fitting up. 255 George-st, city.

TYPIST and Shorthand wanted (male), must be proficient. Apply Box 77, G.P.O.

TAILORESSES.—Wanted, smart Machinist, constant work, good wages. Vercy, Aust.-chbs., 6 Rowe-st.

TO Tailors and Tailoresses.—Coat Hands, also Trousers Hands, constant. T. M. Greig, Park-st.

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By Order, CHAS. A. VIVIAN, Town Clerk. Council-chambers, Woollahra, 15th April, 1912.

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A PAGE FOR WOMEN

NOTICES.

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HIGH SCHOOLS.

The news that the authorities are once again considering the question of providing new buildings for the Sydney High Schools is received with joy by all who are concerned; or perhaps it would be truer to say, by those who have not grown cynical over hopes raised and deferred in the past. For this is not the first time that there have been promises of better quarters for the High School scholars. Periodically the subject comes up; someone probably pays a visit to one of the schools, and comes away horrified at the disadvantages under which teachers and students labour, and the question of improved buildings is loudly-discussed for a week or so, then sinks into oblivion before some newer or more exciting interest.

There is no school in Australia which has contributed more to the womanhood of our country than the Sydney Girls' High School. Each year the list of students who have distinguished themselves at the University has been longer; from the old school have gone forth pioneer women in many of the learned professions; from end to end of Australia the ex-students are to be found; and beyond the shores of Australia more than one old High School girl has brought distinction to herself and to her country. And it is not only to public life that the old school has contributed. The big majority of the girls have taken up the good old role of wife and mother; and the efficiency and thoroughness and the high sense of duty, which form an inseparable part of the school's training are bearing fruit in many a family, and the true sense of citizenship is being handed down to the next generation.

Yet, the building in which these girls and women have been trained is probably one of the most poorly-equipped and unsuitable in the land. Long Bay Reformatory is a palace of modern convenience and comfort compared to the old barn in Elizabeth-street. There at least there is quiet and plenty of room for the inmates, and the classes for reforming the girls are carried on under bright and comfortable conditions. At the High School each day is spent in a disturbing, irritating element, with insufficient room inside, and superfluous noise outside. The classes, for which there is no room within the building, crowd out into the sheds, where there are no proper seats or desks, only a table, not large enough for the class, and a few narrow forms. When it is fine it is rather pleasant in the shed, and the girls do not grumble at having to write with their books on their lap, but when it is wet and cold it is very cheerless and uncomfortable.

Then there is the playground, which, in these days of organised sports, is almost as important as the classrooms. At the High School the playground matches the building very well. Two asphalted yards, one of them far too open to the public gaze, are the "playing-grounds" of the school. On these yards a few girls play tennis, and a few more form an excellent basket-ball team; but there are over 300 scholars at the school, and on Wednesdays, the day set apart for "organised sports," about one-third of these girls spread about in little parties to the Municipal baths in the Domain, to the Double Bay tennis courts, and to Centennial Park to play cricket, while the greater part of the scholars do the best they can at the school itself. No one can possibly approve of girls playing cricket in a public park, and some of the parents naturally object strongly, but with the limited resources it is a case of this or no exercise at all for some of the girls.

And then there is Fort-street, the newest of the High Schools. The Fort-street school has one great advantage over the Elizabeth-street one—it is quiet and highly situated. But when that is stated there is absolutely no other recommendation to give it. The building, which is over 60 years old, is about as unsuitable for a High School as it can possibly be. The rooms, of which there are not enough, are lighted from the wrong side, too small for the scholars, and badly ventilated. In fact, although they have been adding fresh ventilation for years, the men are busy this week still trying to bring fresh air into the rooms. Then the rooms, such as they are, are not under one roof, but the students have to cross the play-grounds in all weathers to attend different classes. Lessons are arranged, as far as possible, to avoid constant movement, but at times, of course, it is inevitable.

The playground itself is a series of asphalted yards on different levels, and when there is heavy rain the water rushes down in a series of cascades, forming a positive river at the doors of the school. During recreation time the school has to be carefully organised to allow different classes to play at different hours, and on Wednesday, the day set apart for organised sport, the whole school goes to Birchgrove Park.

As a visitor goes into the different cheerless class-rooms, sees the overcrowding, and hears two teachers trying to interest two different classes in two different subjects, in one small, badly equipped room, one marvels at the good work done by both teachers and scholars. And when one realises that there is no proper accommodation for these girls and women to have their luncheons, and that many of them eat in the class-rooms, well—one wonders still more.

Indeed, the lack of accommodation for the teachers in their rest hours is an absolute disgrace in all the High Schools in the State. At the Elizabeth-street school they have a little inner-room, with no air or light, to which the teachers can retire at luncheon-time. At Fort-street the teachers' room might be described as a "hat-box," for there is only room for the staff to hang up their hats and coats in the tiny shed which is allowed them. At the Maitland High School there is no teachers' room at all; the staff eat their meals in the schoolrooms, and if a girl or teacher is ill, there is nowhere she can rest. At Newcastle also, we understand, there is no teachers' room, and no thought of comfort for the staff.

A teacher's lot is not an easy one at any time, in a big school, but when to the strain of teaching big classes in badly equipped, noisy class-rooms, is added the discomfort of having no privacy and no rest in the recess, then indeed teaching is the saddest of professions. And it is an absolute disgrace to every member of the community that women should be expected to work—and work well—under the conditions which surround teachers in our High Schools. If the State has money to squander on educational experiments—as it apparently has—then the disgrace is all the greater that its own schools should be so badly equipped. A State that can afford to give free education to all should surely be able to afford the bare decencies of life to its teachers.

CORRESPONDENCE.

Lonely Suburbanite.—Have forwarded your note to the secretary of the club.

M. H. J.—You should write to Mme. Thayer, care Lyceum Club, London, for any further particulars.

TECHNICAL TRAINING FOR WOMEN

I used to wonder how it was that so many girls made their own dresses so well. Of course, I know that Australian girls are noted for their clever fingers, and that they can do most things with their hands if they like, but many girls and women who are not at all clever in any way wear dresses made by themselves, which fit them as if made by a first-class modiste.

Now, I have solved the problem. They have learned dressmaking at the Technical College. I could not have believed that there could be a method of teaching this art to even the dullest pupils, if I had not had a practical experience. If there is one thing I do worse than another it is dressmaking. Hats are easy matters, jams are a joy to me, and even a poem is not quite outside my powers. But blouses and skirts! I never can get the sleeves to "go" right, and it is much easier to get the proper number of words to a line than a straight hem to a skirt. But, now, I have achieved a dress that might almost be called a "gown," or even, if you were optimistic, a "costume," and the way I managed was this. Last week I went to the display of students' work at the Technical College, and there I saw girls measuring and cutting out patterns. Someone approached me with a tape measure, which she rapidly passed over me, calling out numbers to a little girl at the table, who took them down on a slip of paper. Then this girl took a blue pencil and measure, and in a few minutes had marked a lot of diagrams on a big sheet of paper. She then took a tracing wheel, and by running over the different lines in set order marked the various parts of a skirt and a bodice, which she proceeded to cut out, and handed to me as a complete pattern, cut to my size. I took it home, followed the simple directions, and now for the first time in my life find myself the proud possessor of a home-made frock which fits.

And the system, which enables the stupidest person to make a dress, is as scientific as it is simple, and is one that any girl or woman can learn thoroughly in a few months. For 12 years Miss Roberts, who is the head of this branch of the Technical College, has been training girls, and now her students are passing on their knowledge throughout the length and breadth of the State. From Broken Hill to Bega, you will find these ex-students holding classes in the different towns and villages, some of them driving 100 miles and more each week to give their lessons, and wherever they go they are welcomed eagerly by town and country women, and their classes are largely attended in every district.

Dressmaking is not the only feminine art that is well taught at the Technical College. In the main building, the display of "goodies" showed that, under the excellent tuition of Miss Munroe, we are turning out some very fine cooks. There were beautiful cakes and fancy dishes to make the mouth water; there were pigeon pies, chickens in aspic, fish balls, and angels on horseback; but of still greater interest perhaps was the little exhibit of potatoes served in 12 different ways, or the daintily prepared invalid's tray, with its beef tea, custard, jelly, and arrowroot, all served in a way that would tempt the poorest appetite. The breakfast tray with its poached egg and toast and tea was also a practical illustration of the right way. And the rows of bottled quinces, pears, and peaches, the preserved tomatoes, the rows of gleaming jam and jelly, pickles and sauces, showed that the old-fashioned storeroom has not by any means given way to the jam factory. From the cookery department, which also includes the laundry, where a display of lovely linen showed evidence of expert laundresses amongst the pupils, the students also go forth as teachers to different schools, but, excellent as is the work done, one feels here, as, indeed, in all departments for women's industries, that the provision made is sadly inadequate, and that there should be at least ten times the present accommodation. On every hand one sees good work being done under great difficulties, a state of affairs that is unjust alike to teachers, students, and the general public.

WORLD-WIDE QUESTIONS.

The mails continue to bring us interesting accounts of the Great German Women's Exhibition and Congress. One writer comments on the agreeable fact that none of the speakers at the congress spoke of the conflict between the sexes or of any disagreement in the ranks of the women themselves. They all spoke with eloquent force of the need for unity, for a hand-in-hand effort of men and women for the common welfare; and the various subjects were discussed in so high-minded a manner that there was no room for petty differences.

On the first day of the Congress questions regarding women and domestic economy were discussed, and the "open-mindedness" of the debate may be judged from the fact that a woman belonging to one of the most Radical parties and a Roman Catholic priest took part in the same discussion, and agreed with one another. Much stress was laid on the need for reforms in the household with regard to lightening labour, and it was generally agreed that in this "machine age" the housewife should have more time to devote to the education of her children and the intellectual interests of her husband, and thus raise the standard of culture in her home.

Another interesting point discussed was the payment of the married woman for her work in the household. Most of the speakers agreed that, as a rule, the wife should certainly have a fair share of her husband's income, though some admitted the difficulties in adjusting such a rule.

One of the most important topics discussed was that of a "service year" for girls. The fact that every young man in Germany has to serve his country as a soldier for a certain period, raised the question of whether girls should not also give one year to their country, such a year being devoted to preparing them for their duties as wives and mothers.

On the second day of the Congress educational matters were discussed. This was the only occasion on which a foreigner took part in the debates, when Professor Florence Keys, of Vassar College, America, spoke, by invitation, on the subject of co-education in America.

CLARA BARTON.

The name of Clara Barton, whose death was announced this week, is as well known and deeply reverenced amongst Americans as Florence Nightingale was in the British Empire. Born in 1821, she did almost as much for the cause of nursing in her own land as Florence Nightingale did in hers. It was she who introduced the Red Cross Society into America, and by her means the red cross in America was, later on, amended to cover great civil calamities, as well as battlefields. But her greatest work was during the Civil War, when she was in charge of the relief work on the field, and personally organised a search for missing men. At the request of President M'Kinley, she carried relief to Cuba in 1898. She did personal field work in the Spanish-American war, and in his annual message to Congress, President M'Kinley expressed his own appreciation and that of the American people for the work done by her during the war. She also worked right through the Franco-Prussian war in 1870, and helped in works of relief in many lands, having received decorations or diplomas of honour from Germany, Austria, Servia, Baden, Turkey, Armenia, Switzerland, Spain, Russia, and Belgium.

FASHION AS SHE IS.

With the cult of more esthetic dressing came more artistic garments for young people. To-day the small girl has at her service the daintiest of clothes, made of the most delicately tinted materials.

In fact, the "miss" is so much considered nowadays that there are actual "fashions" for her. Many experts are at work in considering the "style" most suitable to small people. Just as much care is taken for them as for the grown-ups. The combination of plain material with stripes is very fashionable for young girls. A suitable coat and skirt in navy serge looked exceedingly well trimmed with blue and white striped material. The coat, which was closed well to the left of the front, had a velvet collar outlined with the striped material, and the sleeves were finished with cuffs of the stripes. The skirt was cut to the raised waistline, giving it that slender and straight effect which is correct at present. A coat and skirt made of black velveteen and trimmed with a dark red broadcloth, which was braided with black, looked most handsome and suitable for festive occasions.

Plaid is used to a considerable degree in the ornamentation of gowns for young people, although one is somewhat apt to tire of it on account of its prominence. A pretty costume was smartly trimmed, with a large square collar and deep cuffs faced with green and blue plaid. The buttons were covered with the same material. The skirt had a flat box pleat, which was decorated with buttons at the lower edge.

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Another very charming little frock was in navy serge. The blouse was of the Magyar persuasion, having for ornamentation a collar and cuffs, embroidered in straight lines with narrow pastel-coloured silk braid. The skirt had the panel effect, and was finished with a belt of the narrow braided work. Velvet and velveteen frocks are very becoming to young people, and will be greatly seen during the coming months.

For more elaborate dressing or party frocks ninon is one of the most charming fabrics available for these young people. A very good plan is to have a ninon overdress and a coloured slip. This is a most economical investment, as it makes practically two dresses. A most effective result for a girl of seventeen was gained by placing pale pink ninon over a maise-coloured soft silk. The blouse part, fashioned in kimono style, had stripes of the ninon alternating with malines lace. The little skirt was full and raised rather high. Just above the knees there were two half-inch tucks about an inch apart, an insertion of the Malines lace, then came two more tucks. A narrow frilling of the soft Malines lace completed the last tuck. A sash of soft peau-de-soie in maize colour was shot with a delicate rose pink, fastened at the left side with a bow and long ends.

Another beautiful dress was fashioned of white cashmere-de-soie. The short ninon tunic was a lovely fuchsia shade, and was edged with shaded beads to correspond with the red and purple tints of the ninon. Opening in the front and joining at the edge, the tunic had a most uncommon effect. A large bunch of dark Parma violets gave the necessary touch, while the whole effect was most artistic and girlish.

The Louis XVI. frock is another most becoming dress to a "miss." Ankle length, the skirt is trimmed with three narrow frills set their width apart. The corsage with extremely short sleeves is nearly covered with a frilled Marie Antoinette fichu, the back of it coming to a point. Made of white crepe de chine or soft muslin, the little dresses look exceedingly dainty.

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For the smaller mites the frock that is worn over a separate guimpe is always pretty as well as practical. The upper portions of the sleeves are separate, making a part of the yoke. The combination of plaid material trimmed with plain broadcloth is very effective and attractive. Dotted challis trimmed with plain material also makes a becoming frock.

Little pocket bags made of the same material as the dress and attached to the waistband by a silken cord are very pretty for children's little dresses.

The square scalloped effect is also seen on these dainty garments. A sweet little party frock for a very young "miss" was of soft white satin, having a jacket effect, the edges of which were in square scallops. This tiny garment was finished with a white satin small bag, which was attached to the dress with a white silken cord, a bunch of tiny pink bebe roses showing at the waist.

Another sweet little gown was of very pale blue ninon over the same coloured soft silk, a silk ruching edging the frock, while a dainty pink sash completed the whole.

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Of course these maidens, both big and small, must have evening cloaks. A very becoming one was in pale rose pink in kimono style, with a satin hood, which was finished with a large tassel.

Another was in pale blue cashmere, edged with swan's down, and trimmed with buttons of the same material as the coat. The effect was very girlish and becoming. The little ones are well catered for where the serviceable day coat is concerned. In fact, these coats are more attractive than usual.

The warm, light-weight, silky woollens of zibeline are charming. Ratine is certainly not so practical, but looks exceedingly well. A most fascinating example was a semi-Russian model in dark blue ratine. A large collar and cuffs of bright red leather added a gay note to the whole. The same could easily be carried out in navy serge, the effect being equally as good.

The double-faced cloths so popular with grown-ups are also used for children's coats, the heavier stuffs being passed over for the lighter weights. One sees little coats of double-faced blanket cloth, white coats faced with blue or rose being most attractive.

MAISIE.

AUSTRALIANS ABROAD.

(FROM OUR SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT.)

LONDON, March 15.

Professor Anderson Stuart was amongst those who were presented to the King at the levee this week.

At the reception given by Sir Newton Moore to the Western Australian cadets this week, there were present, amongst others, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Virgo and Miss Virgo, Commander W. F. Blunt, R.N., and Mrs. Blunt, Mrs. John Sandes, Mr. L. Ramacciotti, Captain R. M. Collins, R.N., and Mrs. Collins, and Major and Mrs. Buckley.

At the Lyceum Club this week Mrs. Mary Gaunt gave a lantern lecture on her recent journey in West Africa.

Mr. Leon Brodsky's fantastic comedy, "The Humour of It," was produced at the Court Theatre for the first time on Monday. Amongst the audience were Lady Reid, Sir John M'Call, and many other Australians. The play has aroused good deal of interesting comment, the newspapers passing very varied judgments. Most of them found a good deal of praise in it.

Captain Collins, R.N., and Mr. Gordon Inglis visited the Central Foundation School on Monday, and addressed the boys there.

THE FENCE AT THE TCP.

Tere has been no more apt description of the Y.W.C.A. than that which likened it to "a fence at the top of the precipice, not an ambulance at the bottom." In every big city there is a sorrowful need of the ambulances of rescue work, but the higher and wider the fence is built the less work there is to be done in picking up those who have lost their way and stumbled over the edge.

In all parts of the world the Y.W.C.A. is busy building that fence. Its corner posts are those sweet strong women who are devoting their lives to the "woman's cause," in the very best sense of the term. The palings of the fence are all the modern methods of education and improvement, and these are held in place by the bands of helpers, who voluntarily give their time and thought to assisting in the different branches.

At the big dinner given by the Sydney Y.W.C.A. on Monday night, at which there were present nearly 300 guests, with her Excellency Lady Denman as guest of honour, speeches were made by several workers in the different departments. One girl told of the good time they had in the girls' club, of the jolly evenings after a day's dull work, and of the kind help and friendly advice always ready when needed; another spoke of the classes for domestic training, and deplored the fact that, from lack of room, the cooking class had to be held at the Technical College. A third speaker told of the work being done amongst new arrivals in the city—girls from the country, and other States, or from overseas. It was surprising to hear of the numbers of young women who, for one reason or another, arrive friendless in this city; but it was a relief to learn that so many of them find safety and friendship within the walls of the Y.W.C.A.

Then one of the workers spoke eloquently of the needs of girls for wholesome, healthy amusement, and for natural companionship. Every night in our city thousands of girls and boys are to be seen in the parks, and on the ferry boats, or wandering along the streets, because they have nowhere else to go. "We want more rooms," said this speaker. "We want roof gardens, and a big hall where the girls can come and enjoy themselves, and bring with them their brothers and their sweethearts. For," she added, "it is natural for girls to have sweethearts. Our mothers had, and who are we to improve on our mothers?"

The part the Y.W.C.A. is doing to supply the need of a higher education, which many young women would not otherwise have the chance of acquiring, was the theme of one speech. Many girls, with fine mental capacity, have been deprived by force of circumstances of a University or Technical College training, and the various educational classes at the Y.W.C.A., mostly in charge of University graduates, are filling the want.

But in every department of the association in every branch of its activity, the enthusiasm and zeal of the workers are always pulled up by the stone wall of "no room." Every week girls have to be turned away because, in spite of all the squeezing and crowding, there is no room for them, and one cannot bear to think too deeply of what it may mean to those girls who are turned away. "S-s-sh. You will disturb so and so," is a remark heard only too often in the girls' club; and the girls realise quite well that it is not because any one objects to their fun and laughter, but that there is not room for them to play and others to work quite apart from each other. It does seem a dreadful thing that in a new country of the size of Australia there should ever be a question of no room for girls to grow strong and good. Every time a girl is turned away because there is no room, and every time some new scheme of usefulness has to be abandoned because of the overcrowding, our nation suffers a distinct loss, for it is a blow at the very foundation of the race—the strength and goodness of our womanhood.

And because the work of the Y.W.C.A. is a national matter—as indeed are all good works—the public is going to be given the privilege of helping to provide the room so badly needed. The association already owns a fine block of land next to its present site; £20,000 are needed to erect a new building, with all modern conveniences, on this land, and to furnish it suitably. The girls of the association have undertaken to raise £2000 in proof of the faith they have in their association; and surely there are enough public-spirited and long-sighted people to give the other £18,000 to this most excellent of investments—the fence along the top.

THE BUSH BOOK CLUB.

The Bush Book Club is not one of those clubs which is continually appearing before the Sydney public. As its name implies, its work mainly has to do with the back country, where, indeed, it is beginning to be known to some purpose. At the same time, the club has no intention of sinking into oblivion as far as the city is concerned, for it believes that its work, which affects our dwellers on the land, should be known and supported by all those appreciative of solid effort. It feels that such support and appreciation are its due, as its work affects indirectly many classes. To bring happiness and content into lonely lives, to open other views of life before eyes tired and dulled with the everlasting round of the commonplace to make the lonely souls "out back" realise that there are some who know and who care in the centres of civilisation, and so to inspire and encourage, are the main objects of the workers in the Bush Book Club. Surely these aims are worthy. To the women who have but to walk to the library for a new book, or who can find many and diverse amusements and interests within a stone's throw of their own homes, it may be difficult to realise the lack of pleasure, the narrowness, and even the privations in the lives of those other women who are bravely and self-denyingly doing their share in the home-making and civilising out back. To try to put their uncomplaining hard work into words is an impossibility, and it is only those who know the dulness of the life, the monotony of the scenery, the sameness and the ignorance of the society one has to be content with—if one has the luck to ever see anybody but the family to which one belongs—who can appreciate a work which sends out books suitable for men, women, and children, in the hope that this dulness and monotony and ignorance may be thus met and partially conquered. Listen to an extract from one of the scores of letters received:—

"All have enjoyed the books very much, and the magazines and papers are very much appreciated by the menfolk, who have very little time for reading. I cannot sufficiently thank all who are connected with the Bush Book Club for the trouble and work they have in connection with it; but I feel sure they would be repaid if they could only realise what a great blessing it is for the poor lonely ones in the bush to have so many in the city taking such an interest in them."

That is the word—interest. Even if they are not great readers, and if Marie Corelli and E. P. Roe are appreciated above Ruskin or Carlyle in most cases, the work accomplishes its aim when it knows that the people in the "back o' beyond" recognise and respond to the interest of the city folk which is wrapped up and send away in each big parcel of books. The club is anxious that more should take part in this work, and would be glad to welcome any who have a little leisure into their ranks. The work is divided so that the talents of any and all may be utilised. Various committees carry on various parts of the work, and there is room and to spare on any of these committees. There are those who cover and mend books—not, perhaps, the most attractive part, but not arduous, and most necessary. Any girl who can spare a couple of hours a week for this work will be heartily welcomed. Then there is the reading and selecting committee—for every book is looked over before it leaves the library. This is no mean task, and for those who feel able and have leisure to run through a few books every week a place is in readiness. There are numerous other branches of work, such as packing, labelling, unpacking cases sent in for distribution, etc, and anyone who feels inclined to take part in this good work is invited to call at the library, Denman-chambers, Philip-street, or write to the secretary, Miss Beulah Bolton, at that address, and arrangements can be speedily made for them to enter the list of workers. To those who cannot personally join as workers there is the opportunity of sending secondhand books (particularly novels) or magazines, which might be of use or interest, or a small money donation, for, although the club has not any very great expenses, still a certain amount of money must of course be required to carry on any work of this nature, and the funds are not so flourishing that the club can afford to miss even the smallest donation. The membership fee is one shilling a year, and a good many new members would mean an acceptable difference in the funds. The general committee will be glad to welcome any who feel an interest either in the local work among the books or a more personal one in their neighbours in the far back, who are breaking the sods of our new country and bearing the burden and heat of the day away from the pleasures and comforts of civilisation.

I.M.B.

No. I.—An attractive design for taffeta. The flat ruchings of the material form an edge to the skirt and to the tunic part of the gown, which is slightly gathered at the waist, but which otherwise follows the modified straight lines, which have taken the place of the excessively narrow skirts.

No. II.—A frock for a young girl in taffeta of any soft shade, finished with a tiny pleated basque and a piping of itself at the slightly high waist. The trimming of the frock consists of flat ruches of the material laid upon the skirt and bodice, and the skirt is finished at the hem with a closely-pleated taffeta frill.

TWO TAFFETA GOWNS.

PUCK'S GIRDLE.

I'll put a girdle round about the earth in forty minutes.—"Midsummer Night's Dream."

Next Friday afternoon Lady Chelmsford will preside at the second annual meeting of that most excellent of good works, the Bush Book Club, to be held in the vestibule of the Town Hall at 4 o'clock. This society, which goes quietly and steadily on its way, was founded by Lady Poore, and was the work with which she was most intimately connected. Lady Chelmsford, who has always been interested in the club, is now president.

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An exhibition of work by the Society of Arts and Crafts will be opened by Lady Chelmsford at the Royal Art Society's rooms next Saturday at noon. The exhibition, which will include samples of craft work from other countries, as well as local work, will remain open during next week, and should be of unusual interest.

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Although everyone admits that Sir Allen and Lady Taylor have earned a rest from their Mayoral duties, there is a general, if somewhat selfish regret at losing them from the civic position. There is no need to speak of the fine work done by the Lord Mayor, but every woman will be anxious to show her appreciation of the part played by the Lady Mayoress. It would be impossible to enumerate the good works that have been substantially assisted by Lady Taylor while she has been Lady Mayoress. She has not only given her patronage, but in many instances her active co-operation, her indefatigable energy, and very often her open purse, have ensured the success of some big undertaking. More than one hospital has cause to bless her name, and her successor, whoever she may be, will find a strenuous task before her, if she means to follow the public-spirited example set by Lady Taylor.

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Amongst the passengers by the quarantined Malwa is Miss Grace Watson, who is returning to Adelaide from India, whither she was sent by the South Australian Government to look into the question of the immigration of time-expired soldiers and orphaned European children. She gives a satisfactory report with regard to the soldiers, many of whom are already making plans to come to Australia; but there are now very few European children amongst the ranks. So the chance of hunting out girls to train as domestics is practically nil. Miss Watson was impressed by the interest taken in Australia and the space devoted to Australian doings in the Indian papers. One journalist explained it by saying: "Nothing ever happens in India, so they have to fill up their columns as best they can."

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"Impressions of Travel" is the attractive heading to an invitation card from Miss Alice Norton and Miss Gladys Owen to an exhibition of pictures to be opened to-morrow. Miss Norton and Miss Owen have just returned from many months' travelling in the old world, and we may expect some charming glimpses of the other side from their quick eyes and facile brushes.

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"Veronica" writes from Melbourne:—The twenty-seventh annual conference of the Victorian State School Teachers' Union was opened at the Melbourne Town Hall on the 11th inst. Upwards of 70 delegates attended, and a long and important business paper was dealt with. A new platform was drafted for the following year, embracing many urgent and necessary reforms, such as raising the status of primary teachers by securing civil and political rights, provision of decent residences and adequate remuneration, recognition of a fair standard of work, limitation of a teacher's duty to the work of teaching, and an equitable system of promotion. These are the chief features of the programme. A great deal of dissatisfaction has been expressed at the new programme introduced this year by the Director of Education. The difficulty of grading children into sections—especially in small country schools—is a trying feat, and the number of subjects included in the timetable at present permits only a smattering of each to be acquired. Many parents are complaining that their children are not receiving a practical education, such as would fit them to make a living in middle-class life.

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At the first Court of the season, held in London last month, the rules issued by the Lord Chamberlain with regard to the dresses precluded the wisp train, which had been much in vogue for evening wear.

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Although only six of the United States have granted the franchise to women, there will be a million women eligible to vote in the Presidential election this year. Both Mr. Taft and Mr. Roosevelt are a little "wobbly" in their ideas about womanhood suffrage, but Mr. Taft has recently expressed his opinion that there should be a woman on every school board in the country, so he will probably find favour amongst the women electors.

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Miss Annie Peck, the distinguished American mountain climber, has just returned to New York from the Andes, where, upon one of the peaks of Mount Coropuna, some 22,000ft high, she planted a "votes for women" flag.

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Spanish women are entering the lists of the emancipated. A decree has been passed permitting women to attend the Spanish universities, and also to practise any profession for which their University training fits them. This latter is more logical than our own regulations, which allow a woman to qualify for the Bar, but forbid her to practise.

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Everyone who considers the matter at all, is ashamed of the lack of proper accommodation and the over-crowding in our State schools. How should we feel if we were citizens of New York City, the capital of the world's greatest Republic, where the present school year has opened with 70,000 children on half-time, because the Government will not spend money on building enough school houses or paying enough teachers?

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In speaking of the opening day of an exhibition of pictures in Paris, a writer says:—"Everybody talks here because there is no possibility of installing a bridge table in the crowded rooms of this picture gallery. Paintings, it would seem, are more sacred than music, for at the last performance of "Tristan" at the Opera there were few of the subscribers in the front of the boxes. They were all in the convenient little salons at the back, playing bridge. On the popular nights of "Faust," "Aida," "Samson and Dalila," the fashionable subscribers remain at home, and when "Tristan," "Die Walkyrie," or "La Damnation de Faust" are given they show themselves for the first act only. Bridge has killed music and conversation."

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In the Court Circular of March 1 Princess Alexandria is, for the first time, called Duchess of Fife. Her mother, the Princess Royal, is mentioned by that title alone, and not, as formerly, "Princess Royal, Duchess of Fife."

AN AUSTRALIAN'S WORK IN LONDON.

For years upon years, London children have played about the sunny streets, after school hours, summer and winter, for two reasons: First, because children must be children, however poor, or however dirty, and therefore must play; and secondly, because they have nowhere else to play: their homes are often shut up, the parents being out at work, and not returning till late, or even if they are open, they are generally too small and too crowded for games, and are destitute of playthings, and the London parks and squares are all closed at sundown, which in mid-winter means 3.30 o'clock.

No Londoner seemed to realise this, or if he or she did realise it, made no effort to alter such a state of things. It was not until Mrs. Humphry Ward came upon the scene, and saw these little Londoners apparently as their own townspeople never had seen them, that anything was done on their behalf. Her happy youth was spent in Tasmania, and no wonder that she was horrified, when she saw the poor children of the most wonderfully-regulated city in Europe playing about, in what a London magistrate lately very truly described, when inquiring into a motor 'bus accident, as a huge mangling machine.

Mrs. Humphry Ward set to work to devise a more fitting playground than this, for the poor children of the great metropolis. Now that there are 18 play centres, in full working order, or one should say, playing order, the scheme seems simple enough, as all great schemes generally are, and one wonders that such an undesirable state of things was allowed to continue up till nine years ago, when the first play centre was opened.

The first task was to find a playground. The London County Council, immediately grasping the advantages of the scheme, gave the free use of the Board school rooms in winter, with lighting and heating (no small order during the dark months), and of their playgrounds in summer. Without this help, the project would be a difficult one indeed. Even with this free foundation, the upkeep of each play centre costs £250 a year: this in a great measure is subscribed by the foundress and her private friends, two centres at least being kept up by individuals. Most of the centres are open from 5 till 7 o'clock, in two sessions of an hour each, and in this way each one accommodates from 200 to 700 children during an evening. Each centre has a superintendent, who is paid from £40 to £80 a year; who must be a person of great tact and individuality, for she has practically the entire organisation of her centre. She must find suitable occupation and amusement for the varied specimens of humanity under her charge, and be able to deal with the different temperaments of children and teachers. The salaries of these latter descend from the superintendent, in graduated scale, to that of the young girls who play the piano, for drilling and dancing, for the sum of 3s 6d a week: so that no one can complain that this charity is run on extravagant lines. It is quite a sight to see the hundreds of children troop in, all more or less ragged and dirty, and yet a great many surprisingly good-looking, all eager for the fun, and apparently far happier than many a rich child, in spite of scanty clothing and even more scanty fare. One mite remarked to Mrs. Ward's visiting secretary: "Miss, it gets betterer and betterer every day!" While a little boy, absorbed in brick-building, wanted to know "if play centre lasted for ever—till we died."

Mrs. Ward herself visits each centre at least once a term. The tiny children, for the ages range from three, or even younger, to 14, are usually turned into a large room, where they amuse themselves with toys provided for them. In one of these huge nurseries, with at least 50 inmates, large, red, wooden engines, given by a beneficent manufacturer, were a source of great joy; but many of the wee girls seemed quite content with squatting on the cold granite floor and hugging tattered dolls in silent bliss.

The older children are divided, according to sex, and drafted off to various occupations each night, but they all amount practically to playing, in orderly fashion, and such as more favoured children would do in their comfortable homes.

Another popular occupation for girls and boys is basket work. The children may pay a penny for the material used in making the basket, and can then possess it for themselves; and perhaps sell it for a small sum. So eager is one little girl to attend this class that she walks three miles through the gloomy London slums to come to it.

Then there are classes for making dolls' clothes, also beds made out of cardboard boxes, with bedclothes, which are very often unknown in their own homes.

In another large room children were busy making rugs, the foundation being pieces of gunny bags, stretched on a frame. Into these were poked with a wooden puncher bits of patchwork rags, which another set of little ones were cutting up; and what does a small child love more than snipping things up?. The dancing and singing classes are naturally a great delight.

The boys' energies find vent in gymnastics, jumping, musket drill, and even boxing. These are all done under the care and training of well-built, pleasant-looking masters. Often a class is divided, half of it taken charge of by an elder boy or monitor. This system of monitors is carried out in both girls' and boys' classes throughout the centres, and works very well, as it relieves and helps the teachers and gives an incentive to the children, each of whom aims at the honour of monitorship. In fact such love for the play centres is felt that in many cases rough boys and girls who have been tamed by their influence, come back after leaving school to help in the work, as their hours of labour allow. The only punishment in this play school is to be sent home. Alas, that home should be synonymous with unhappiness.

I noticed one tiny, innocent-looking boy, in a vaulting class, a glorified form of leap-frog. His presence among the big boys was explained to me by the superintendent. "That boy," she said, "was a regular little devil. I did not know what to do with him, until I thought of the plan of putting him with the gymnastic master. Here he can let off his superfluous energy in a legitimate manner, and has been chosen for the show class at the annual display." It is in cases such as these that the superintendent's powers of judgment are called forth. The "little devil" certainly looked quite angel-like, as he stepped into position at the word of command to form the minute central figure of a human pyramid.

In the warm weather the play goes on out-of-doors, as I mentioned before, in the Board School play yards, under the same supervision. During the summer holidays these recreation places are open at intervals all day long, for the beauty of even the London parks is far removed by time, distance, and fares from the East End child.

Mrs. Ward has had her imitators. The Jewish community have realised the great benefit of the work, and have instituted a centre in their own quarter of London, with a superintendent trained from one of the original centres. Lord Iveagh runs one at his own expense in Dublin; and others have been set going at Liverpool and in Scotland.

The Queen patronises the work, and gave banners for various classes, which were distributed last year by the Duchess of Connaught, who also presented a silver cup for boxing to the boys, the gift of the London Stock Exchange.

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CHAPTER V.—Continued.

Felix, feeling that he had spoiled the Egyptians excellently well, hobbled off to his favourite cafe. Early as the hour was, various cronies were there already, sipping their morning aperitifs, but he passed them with a nod, and made for the fat proprietress throned behind a high desk. When she caught sight of him, a certain air of firmness seemed to struggle with sympathy for possession of her bulging features, and she hastily thumbed a small account-book taken from beneath a pile of waiters' dockets.

"How much, madame?" asked Felix, who had missed none of this.

"Twenty-seven seventy-five," she said severely.

"Can one make it thirty, my dear."

"Thirty. Tell me, then, how market bills are to be met when one is owed these thirties?"

"Dear Angel, Providence has decided that you shall deal with such problems."

"Well, well. No more—not a centime beyond the thirty."

"Monstrous, yet all heart," murmured Felix. He struck an attitude and sang, with exquisite feeling, the opening bars of the Jewel Song from "Faust." As applied to the earthly tabernacle of madame's generous soul, the effect of that impassioned address was ludicrous. But Felix recked little of that. He threw the hundred franc note on the counter.

"There, my sweet, be rewarded for your trust," he cried. "Now give me the railway time-table, for I have far to go ere I return, when you and I shall crack a bottle of Clos Vougeot with our dinner."

Madame, who had not betrayed the least embarrassment when she and her cafe were apostrophised in Gounod's magnificent strains, was utterly bewildered by Poluski's wealth. Not once in many years had he owned so much at one time, since he always drew small sums on account of his pictures and kept himself going in hand-to-mouth fashion. But here was Felix intent on the time-table, and sweeping seventy-two francs twenty-five centimes of change into his pocket without troubling to count a coin.

"You have found a mad Englishman, I suppose?" tittered Madame.

"Better, far better—I have met a man who would be king!"

He hurried out, climbed into a passing omnibus, and descended at the Gare de Lyon.

Joan was just leaving the pretty hotel at Barbizon meaning to put in some hours of work after a distracted morning, when Felix emerged from the interior of a ramshackle cab which had carried him from Melun to the edge of the forest. Now, a cab-drive of several miles, plus a journey from Paris, was a sufficiently rare event in Poluski's life to make Joan stare. His unexpected appearance chimed so oddly with her own disturbed thoughts that she paled.

"Felix," she cried, "have you brought ill news?"

"Of whom, Mademoiselle?" he demanded.

"Of—of anyone?"

"Alec still reigns, if that is what you mean."

"But he has sent you?"

"What, do I look like an envoy?" he laughed. "Well, well, my dear, there is some truth in that. I come on behalf of one before whom even kings must bow—I represent St. Peter. But even an apostolic dynamitard must eat. I am starving, having sacrificed my luncheon to my love of you. Commend me, then, to some deft-handed waiter, and let hunger and curiosity be slated at the same time."

Joan knew that Poluski would choose his own way of explaining his presence. The hour for dejeuner was long past, but she hurried to the empty dining-room, and was able to secure some soup and a cold chicken. Felix fed the bird distrustfully.

"Although I am here on behalf of St. Peter, there is no sense in asking me to chew the wretched fowl that proclaimed his downfall," he muttered.

"Oh, Felix, dear, please do tell me what has happened," said Joan, clasping her hands in real distress. "I received a letter from Alec this morning. It was sent to me from my lodgings, and—what between that and the extraordinary things in the newspapers—I think I am bewitched. Now I am sure that you, too, have heard from him. Is it a telegram?"

"Yes," he said, "a message sent without wires; it came by one of those underground currents that convulse an unconscious world, sometimes agonising mountains, at others perplexing a simple maid like yourself. You see, Joan, all things conspire to draw you to Belgrata."

"I am not going," she vowed, thereby giving Poluski the exact information he needed, for his nimble brain was beginning to see the connection between Alec's letter and Count Julius Marulitch's intense desire to avail himself of Joan's skill as a copyist.

"You are, my dear," he said, dropping his bantering tone and looking her straight in the eyes.

"How can such an absurdity be dreamed of," she demanded breathlessly.

"Because it is a dream that will come true. Listen, now, and don't be afraid, for these grey old trees of Barbizon have heard madder whisperings than that you should become a queen. It is in the natural order of things that I, who gave my best years to devising the ruin of kings, should be chosen, in my dotage, to help in fixing a king firmly on his throne. It is some sport of the gods, I suppose, a superhuman jest, perhaps the touch of farce which makes tragedy more vivid, since even the colossal Shakespeare of yours thought fit to lighten 'Hamlet' by introducing a comic grave-digger. Be that as it may, Joan, you are Alec's queen, and, as he cannot come for you, it follows that you must go to him. Shall I tell you why? You are necessary to him. It is decreed and you cannot shirk your lot. He knows it, and he has written to bid you come. His enemies know it, but there is a kind of knowledge that leads its votaries blindfold to the pit, and Alec's enemies are blindly plotting now to send you to Belgrata, and thus compass his ruin."

"Felix. What are you saying?"

"The truth, the simple truth. Not a whiff of metaphor or extravagance about that statement, Joan. This morning a man came to me in the Louvre. He was seeking you. He wants to pay your five thousand francs for a copy of some blazoned daub that hangs in the cathedral at Belgrata. He will pay double, four times the money if only you will consent to go there. Why? Because he believes that Alec is infatuated about you, and that the mere hint of marriage with one who is not a Slav princess will shatter the throne of Kosnovia about the ears of its present occupant. My anxious visitor is mistaken, of course. He is trying to do good that evil may come of it, but while there is justice in Heaven any such perversion of an eternal principle is foredoomed to failure. But just think of that man coming to me, Felix Poluski, who has an ear for every sob that rises from the unhappy people who dwell in the borderland between Teuton and Tartar. Isn't that the cream of comedy? When I make everything clear to you, when I show you how and by whom the killing of Theodore and his wife was engineered, you will begin to understand the fantastic trick that fate played when she sent her emissary to the hunchback artist in the Louvre. But it is a long story, and it will barely be the journey across Austria, while there are many things you must attend to ere you leave Paris in the Orient Express to-morrow night."

"Felix, it is impossible."

"Ah. Then you don't love our Alec?"

"—I have not heard a word from his lips—well, hardly a syllable—"

"Not in the letter?"

"That is different. Felix, I can trust you. Perhaps, under other conditions, I might marry Alec, but now I cannot."

"Why?"

"Because he is a king."

"The best of reasons if he were bred in a palace. But he has lived long enough to become a man first. Frankly, Joan, I like Alec, and I think he ought to be given a chance. At any rate, I don't see why you are afraid of him."

"I am not. Indeed, I am not."

Joan's voice was tremulous. She was on the verge of tears, for the little Pole's persistence was breaking down the barrier that she had striven to erect against her lover's pleading. Alec had not said much in his letter, but what he did say was wholly to the point.

"Come to me, Joan," he wrote. "Don't wait. Don't stop and worry about what the world will say, since it will surely be something bitter and untrue. The people here are all right, and I think they are beginning to like me, but I can see quite plainly that they will not be content until I am married, and hints are being thrown out already that there are several eligible young ladies in neighbouring States. But if these Kosnovians take me they must take you, too, and it will be far easier for me when they have seen you. Now, no hesitation, no doubts, no weighing of pros and cons. Just set your teeth, and toss your head up, and tell Pauline to sling your belongings into your boxes, and before you start send me one word in a telegram. I am horribly busy, of course—for details see daily papers—and this must be the most extraordinary love-letter ever written, but what does that matter when you and I understand one another? It was you who sent me here. Don't forget that, dear teller of fortunes, and I want you to be standing by my side when the storm breaks that must surely be brewing for me after an incredible success."

There was more in the same vein. Alexis the King seemed to differ in no essential from the Alec Delgrado who used to wait for her every day in the neighbourhood of the Pont Neuf. Dare she risk it? the question had tortured her ever since the early morning. It was not that the prospect of being a queen was dazzling or even dismaying in itself; she really dreaded the result of such a marriage on the fortunes of the man she loved. But against that self-sacrificing attitude she was forced to admit the plea of Alec's own bewildering lack of conventionality. If half the stories in the newspapers were true, he was the most original-minded monarch that ever reigned. She was quite sure that his answer to any evasive reply on her part would be a public announcement of the fact that his promised bride was a young lady in Paris, Joan Vernon by name. And that would be worse almost than going quietly to Belgrata and being married there.

What was she to do? She found Felix Poluski's grey eyes looking at her steadfastly. In this dilemma he was her only trusted counsellor, and he had already advised her to yield.

"If I even knew his relatives," she faltered. "His parents live in Paris. We have never met. How can I say to his mother, 'Your son wants me to marry him. What do you think of me?' She, a Princess, would scoff at the idea."

"Alec is well aware of that, hence he has written direct to you, and said nothing to any other person. Let me assure you that if Prince Michael Delgrado had gone to Belgrata he would have died a sudden and violent death. Prince Michael knew it, and declined the distinction. Believe me, too, Alec has the very best reasons for consulting no one in his choice of a wife. Now, Joan, be brave! When all is said and done, it should be far more pleasant to marry a king than fling a bomb at him, and I have met several young ladies, almost as pretty as you, who were ready enough to adopt the latter alternative. At any rate you will take no harm by crossing the Danube. It is not the Rubicon, you know, and you have St. Peter to lean on in case of difficulty."

So Felix did not return to Paris alone, and when he met Count Julius Marulitch next morning in the Louvre he was able to announce that Miss Joan Vernon had accepted the commission to copy the Delgrata St. Peter, and was ready to start for Kosnovia by the night mail.

(To be continued.)

AT HOME AT THE Y.W.C.A.

A FORWARD MOVEMENT.

Yesterday afternoon the Sydney Young Women's Christian Association hall was the scene of a large and representative gathering, a number of visitors having been invited to be present by the president and members of the committee. Lady Chelmsford was the guest of honour, and Lady King-Hall was also an interested guest. The hall was tastefully decorated with festoons of greenery, bright chrysanthemums and cactus dahlias, and a programme of music added enjoyment to the gathering. Frau Kiliani, wife of the German Consul-General) rendering a charming solo. Several speeches were given on the advance movement of the Y.W.C.A., and Lady Chelmsford gave a short and earnest address, in which she expressed her sympathy with the movement, and pointed out the great necessity there was for extending, not only the building of the association, but the work. Stress was laid upon the necessity for a larger restaurant for the working girls. Addresses were also given by the president, Mrs. Edward Sully, by Mr. W. Gillanders (general secretary of the Y.M.C.A.), Miss M'Credie (educational secretary Y.W.C.A., Sydney), and Miss Helen Barnes (national secretary). Mrs. Hugh Dixson (chairwoman of the women's committee for the building fund), was also to have spoken, but was unavoidably prevented from attending until late in the afternoon. The object of the gathering was to enlist the sympathy and interest of those present, in an endeavour to raise the sum of £25,000 for the new building for the association, and the enlargement and readjustment of the present building. A campaign is to be started on May 2 to May 16, when 100 girls have undertaken to raise £2000, and yesterday the elder women present were asked "to give some time in collecting funds" for the same object. Miss Barnes suggested a scheme of organisation, whereby the collection might be made easy, and the burden not fall too heavily on the few. Captains, lieutenants, and "aides" were to be enlisted, and going on the principle that "many hands make light work," the energetic secretary said, "You have heard the story, and the appeal, and now listen to the cry." At the conclusion of the addresses refreshments were served, and a pleasant hour spent in social intercourse. Amongst the numerous visitors were Lady Renwick, Lady and Miss Fairfax, Lady Hay, Mrs. Hugh Dixson, Mr. and Miss Russell, Mrs. C. F. Roberts, Frau Kiliani, Mrs. Barff, Mrs. R. H. Hardie, Mrs. Mort, Mrs. Buzzacott, Mrs. MacCallum, Mrs. Chadwick, Mrs. Huxtable, Mrs. Palmer, Mrs. Hugh Pratt, Mrs. King, Miss Meager and Miss Barnes, and Miss Heard assisted in entertaining the guests.

WATSON'S BAY FERRY.

NEW STEAMER ORDERED.

The directors of the Watson's Bay Ferry Company have decided to accept contracts for the building of a new steamer which will be larger than any of their present fleet, and, in addition, she will be a sea-going boat, which will enable the Company to establish a service between Watson's Bay and Manly. At each end of the steamer the bulwarks will be carried up to the height of the upper deck, and the wheelhouses will be placed on the awning.

The new steamer will be the same length as the Greycliffe, which is the largest of the company's fleet, but will have two feet more beam. The total seating accommodation will be for about 700. The new steamer will have a speed of about 12 knots. The contract for building the hull has been let to Rock Davis, of Blackwall, Brisbane Water. David Drake, of Balmain, will carry out the joinery work and fittings, while the contract for providing the machinery and boilers will be let to Messrs. Wildridge and Sinclair, who are the representatives of an English firm. The boilers of this steamer, instead of being the usual water-tube boilers, will be of the gunboat type. It is expected to have the new steamer running in 10 months' time.

EXECUTIVE APPOINTMENTS.

The following appointments were approved by the Executive Council yesterday:—

Extension of appointment of his Honor Judge Rogers, K.C., to exercise jurisdiction in the metropolitan district, until the 30th inst.

Mr. E. J. Bowman, to be a member of the Bourke Licensing Court. Mr. T. Rolin, barrister-at-law, to be one of his Majesty's counsel with rank and precedence next after Mr. Frank Leverrier, K.C.; Mr. G. D. Paterson, to act as a member of the Wilcannia (Mitchell) Licensing Court, for a period not exceeding one month. Crown prosecutors at certain circuit courts to be held during April, 1912, viz.—Messrs. H. De Lissa, at Albury, on April 17; H. S. Nicholas, at Grafton, April 22; E. Mack, at Armidale, April 23; J. A. Ferguson, at Goulburn, April 24. Mr. H. H. Mason, to be clerk associate to Mr. Justice Simpson, and clerk of arraigns. Reconstruction of the Parliamentary reporting staff, viz.: Mr. J. H. Laing, to be principal shorthand-writer; Mr. F. E. Downey, to be second shorthand-writer; and Mr. P. J. Gandon to be "Hansard" clerk. Mr. F. L. Flannery to be clerk in the petty sessions branch, Department of the Attorney-General and of Justice. Mr. W. J. Camphin, to be clerk of petty sessions, Central Police Office. Mr. A. Hills, to be clerk of petty sessions and chamber magistrate, Water Police Office. Mr. J. J. Holme, investigation officer, Department of Labour and Industry, and Mr. A. W. Turner, assistant secretary, Government Savings Bank of New South Wales, to be justices of the peace. Mr. R. C. Roxburgh, to act as marshal in the Admiralty Jurisdiction of the Supreme Court during the absence of Mr. Spain. Miss E. L. Fox, M.B., on probation as junior medical officer, Government Asylums for the Infirm. Mr. H. L. Lamond, to be clerk, Department of Labour and Industry. Mr. L. M. Addison, to be chief clerk in Division. Mr. F. V. D. Meares, relieving police magistrate, to minor positions in the district of the police magistrate, Forbes. Mr. John Fraser, temporary gardener, Garden Palace grounds, to the permanent staff. Mr. P. J. Carroll, to be junior clerk, Bureau of Statistics and Registry of Friendly Societies and Trade Unions. Mr. R. A. Hall, to be messenger, Central Police Office.

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THE KENNEL.

BY W.C.J.

ANSWERS TO CORRESPONDENTS.

Osborne Glen.—(1): The intervals usually are: a week coming on, a week on, and a week going off. 2. Nine weeks. 3. The period is irregular; generally every six or seven months.

Novice (Goulburn): The K.C. registration fee is 1s.

The president of the Kennel Club of New South Wales (Mr. Samuel Hordern) recently left Sydney on a trip to Europe. It is on the cards that Mr. Hordern will secure anything canine that takes his fancy.

Bathurst show opens to-day. There is generally a good entry in the dog section of this show.

The control of the exhibits in the dog pavilion at the Royal Show was in the hands of Mr. G. S. Chapman, secretary of the Kennel Club. Mr. J. M'Kie looked after the feeding and exercise of the dogs.

The well-known Irish terrier Ingrow Boy, which belonged to the late Mr. J. Daley, is now owned by Mr. C. N. Payten, S.M. A few years ago Mr. Payten was interested in this breed, and showed an excellent young dog. This "daredevil" was spirited away from his Mosman home, and has not been heard of since.

Two well-known dogs, owned by prominent fanciers, failed to pass the veterinary examination at the Royal Show. One of the dogs soon after his rejection was submitted to another veterinary surgeon—no remedial treatment having been applied in the interim—and pronounced to be clean.

Retford Montrose, a young deerhound, bred by Mr. S. Hordern from his imported pair, ch. Ayrshire and Catherine of Abbotsford, was entered for the "Royal," but was withdrawn on account of an accident. This dog, while chasing a wallaby at Bowral, struck a tree stump, and was badly staked. A note from the Retford kennels states that Montrose is making a good recovery, and it is thought that he will suffer no permanent injury or disfigurement.

Mr. H. F. Carling, hon. secretary of the Collie Club of New South Wales, reports that the first half-yearly meeting was held on April 10. Mr. H. Gorman (president) was in the chair. The chief business was the revision of the rules. Mr. W. T. Wright, president of the Victorian Collie Club, paid the club a visit, and, in reply to the toast of his health, entertained the members with a short sketch of the early history of collies in Australia, and their advancement to date. Mr. Wright also tendered breeders some excellent advice.

Mr. J. Borthwick, hon. secretary of the Sydney Silky, Yorkshire, and Australian Terrier Club, states that it has been decided to hold a club show at the Royal Agricultural Ground on August 10. The classification of the schedule will be the most up-to-date yet offered, and the club has received the latest standards for the Yorkshire terrier from the editor of "Our Dogs" (Mr. Thos. Marples). The standards are from the Leeds and District Yorkshire Club and the Manchester society. The prize fund is already able to provide a special prize for each class. Mr. R. Cookson (owner of the Yorkshire terrier, Lieutenant Shackleton) shortly leaves for England, and the members of the club have decided to give him a "send-off" to-night. It is probable that Mr. Cookson will buy one or two of his favourites when he is in the home of the breed.

Mrs. James Brooke, of Croydon, reports having transferred to Mr. Gilmore, of Wollongong, a promising young dog, Corrard Dunchkin, winner in the novice class at the recent Ladies' Kennel Club parade. She has also placed two pug puppies, one to Adelaide and the other to Coonamble. Mrs. Brooke intends breeding the popular black pug, at present very rare, and for that purpose has purchased a fine pair, Te Kooti and Tui.

HARLEQUIN GREAT DANES.

Passing a vacant block adjoining Belmore Market a few days since I encountered a harlequin Great Dane, which at once carried me back to the time when these stately dogs enjoyed a considerable vogue in our State. The Mastiff and the St. Bernard, upon whom the blight of neglect has also fallen, have still their exhibitors, although in diminished numbers, but the national dog of Germany has almost died out, and one could not easily say when he last saw it represented on the show bench. Perhaps the first seen in Sydney was the one frequently exhibited by Dr. Pigg 20 years ago. Mr. Pope afterwards maintained a large kennel, and as there were other breeders the Great Dane used then to make large classes.

It is interesting to note that a Victorian-owned one, held for long the Australian canine record for height, viz., 34in at shoulder. Returning to my recent acquaintance, the interest I displayed induced his attendant to invite me to see the remainder of his troupe at Messrs. Wirth's circus. It consisted of three adult animals (two dogs and a bitch), all harlequins, bred by Hagenbeck, of Hamburg—and two young puppies. The old dog was a magnificent animal of great height and massive bone, straight in front, and with well-bent hocks turned like those of a greyhound. I gathered that they performed along with the tigers. They were quite docile, and had evidently been well schooled, while the agility they displayed in jumping was remarkable for dogs of their size and weight. In this respect no greyhound could surpass them.—"Warrigal."

SPECIALIST JUDGES.

"Diehard" writes:—I should like to reply to "A.B.C.D.," who disagrees with my remarks that "exhibitors much prefer to show under a specialist judge, and that specialist clubs should fight for the appointment of judges." He states that a specialist club would vote for a man believed to know most about the particular strain in which it is interested. Most certainly the club would, and that is the man exhibitors require to give a true opinion of their exhibits. A specialist club is formed for the purpose of "encouraging the breeding and exhibiting of any particular breed, and adopting a standard by which that breed shall be judged." A show is held for the same purpose, but in the appointment of judges by a show committee the question of judging by that standard is not considered. If we are improve our breeds we must stick to type. No specialist club desires to take away any authority from a show committee. It is an easy matter to write to the committees of various specialist clubs, asking each of them to submit, say, two names for approval as judges. If the show committee consider any unsuitable it is in their own hands to appoint whom they will. I fail to see how a judge entirely selected by a show committee is more impartial than one selected by a specialist club, for he is just as likely to be partial to a member of the show committee who is exhibiting as a specialist judge is likely to favour one of his club mates. "A.B.C.D." also states that there are more exhibitors who are not members of clubs than exhibitors who are members. Possibly there is some truth in the remark, judging by some of the miserable specimens exhibited at the Royal Show. If the non-members joined a specialist club they would be educated as to what type to possess, and would not deteriorate the breed by breeding from the weeds they hold. In my experience I have found that the successful breeder and exhibitor is in almost all cases a member of the club interested in the breed he owns, for he knows that it is an educational factor. In conclusion, I must congratulate Mr. Prescott on his excellent judging of the breed in which I am interested.

"A.B.C." writes:—May I point out that the note of the cord inst., signed "A.B.C.D.," was not contributed by me. Apparently your correspondent considers the adoption of another almost identical—nom-de-plume quite permissible. In reply to the "double first" reference, I understand these awards were according to the rules of the K.C. of New South Wales. I acknowledge, however, that, even under the exceptional conditions referred to, "double firsts" should be avoided as much as possible. There is this to be said of those evidently alluded to—they were awarded with the best of intention. But are not far greater mistakes made by the more experienced, who appoint a fancier of quite another breed to adjudicate our stock dogs, and those he has never himself either kept or bred? It is so essential that a judge of fullest experience be appointed, these dogs being "Australia's own," still in the "making," and of great importance, not only to the pastoral industry, but to the nation as a whole. The surprise is that anyone can be found—at least in parts where a fair specialist is available—to undertake the job at all.

If, as alleged, the promoters of shows are in the best position to select the best judges, the former should be most careful that their actual appointments do not suggest a "playing off" against prospective exhibitors, rather than the wisdom claimed for them. If incongruities of this kind happen (even unintentionally) those who expect to remain a power in the land, while others disintegrate, may not enjoy the prospect anticipated. We all know that "A.B.C.D." is correct thus far in stating would-be exhibitors will keep their dogs at home "if an incompetent adjudicator, or one in whom the fanciers lack confidence," is appointed, an unpopular judge being the most vital mistake of all for the "powers that be" to commit.

I quite agree with your correspondent when he says it is necessary that kennel affairs be kept "clean," and when the society with which I am associated adopts "string-pulling" methods no one will be more pleased to see it "disintegrate" than myself.

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POULTRY.

Questions relating to fancy or commercial poultry-keeping, diseases, etc., should be addressed to "Accous," Herald Office.

SHOW DATES.

Parramatta	May 10, 11
Illawarra Poultry Club	May 17, 18
Poultry, Pigeon, and Canary Club	June 6, 7, 8
Railway and Tramway	June 13, 15

ANSWERS TO CORRESPONDENTS.

Avis.—"Listless, with drooping wings, and gradually wasting away," are symptoms which apply to very many poultry ailments. By a closer observation you will no doubt discover other evidence which will be some guide to the trouble. It may be tuberculosis, or the result of inbreeding. If you examine the next bird that dies you may be able to determine the nature of the disease.

W.A.—The disease is that known as chicken pox, or warts, and usually appears in March or April. It is a blood disease, coming with small bodies on the comb and face of the cockerel, then becoming larger and ultimately breaking and forming scabs, which cover the face and eyes. These are irritated by mosquitos, resulting sometimes in blindness. The whole of the fowls should get a dose of Epsom salts two or three times a week, a packet going to ten or a dozen fowls. The sores should be dressed with what is called wart ointment, to be had at almost all the produce stores, or a mixture of sulphur and vaseline.

W. Marsfield.—By the time your cockerels are three months of age, the prices will be considerably better than now, and the birds should be disposed of to make room for the growing pullets. Often three months' old chickens will fetch more money than those five months old at another period of the year. The Auctioneers will advise you as to the best time to market.

Hatching.—Incubators are like breeds of fowls; there is actually no best. One make of machine may do well in the hands of one breeder, while another gets poor results. Any of the incubators on the market, if attended to according to the instructions issued, and with well-fertilised eggs, will give satisfactory results.

While much frozen poultry is regularly shipped to Singapore, Manila, and other Eastern ports, apart from ships' stores, a homegoing steamer rarely carries such goods. An exception was the Osterley, which on her voyage prior to Easter took a considerable consignment of geese from the Fresh Food and Ice Company, the destination being Colombo.

One of the greatest evils the poultry industry has to contend with is the careless collection of eggs from the nests, and the practice of holding them over till a convenient time of marketing. This does not apply to the suburban breeder, but largely to the producers in the coastal districts. Distance and extreme temperatures are factors which cannot be overcome by the breeder. At the same time there is no reason now why North Coast eggs should show the large percentage of faulty ones which are in evidence in almost every consignment. There certainly are some storekeepers and other consignors on the Clarence, Richmond, and other rivers who candle the eggs, and send the faulty ones in separate packages, which are sold at some tride. It would be much better if the unsound ones were not forwarded, as the low price enables unscrupulous dealers to get a big profit by mixing them with the better class article. Eggs are fetching in Sydney wholesale at the present time from 1s 6d to 2s 2d per dozen, according to quality. It is the breeder's own fault that there are so many grades, sorts, and prices.

Some three or four years ago the Royal Agricultural Society conceived the idea of scheduling a number of classes called farmers' trios. These were to be a male bird and two females, any age, of the different breeds, and to be catalogued at not more than three guineas. These classes not only filled well, but numbers of birds found ready purchasers at the catalogue price. The display of these classes at the late Show was the best witnessed, and all showing good quality were sold. The table poultry classes had also a limit as to what prices they could be sold at, and about 75 per cent. changed hands.

The hon. secretary of the Poultry, Pigeon, and Canary Club of New South Wales forwards the schedule of the second annual show of that society. There are 158 classes catalogued for poultry—an apparently excessive number. However, as every class with but one entry of the required quality is entitled to a prize, competitors will not complain. A blue card, when there is no competition, is by some more valued than a red in large and good classes. The prizes are given as a sliding scale in proportion to the number of entries. The judges are Messrs. Forster, M'Donnell, Collard, Hemsworth, Hadlington, and Hughes. Pigeons and canaries are liberally provided with classes and prize money.

Poultry auctioneers usually sell on Tuesday and Thursday, the latter being the principal day. The breeders who consign their stuff to arrive and be sold on the Thursday prior to Good Friday will most likely be disappointed with the account sales through the market on the day mentioned being glutted. Despite the influx of visitors, there was a poor demand. Time and again breeders have been told that to send goods for sale a day or even a week prior to a holiday is only courting disaster. The city poulterers have their expected extra demands lying in the cold stores for many weeks previous. The majority of the suburban breeders realise this, and withhold their supplies but the railway and coastal breeders, as of old, forward their goods right up to the holiday eve, with the result that the bulk of their birds fall into the hands of the dealers at prices very much below the legitimate. Young Muscovy drakes on Easter evening were disposed of at 5s to 5s 6d per pair which a few days later were valued at a couple of shillings more. Other varieties of poultry went at a like reduction. Cold storage has revolutionised the trade, and producers must now look for guidance to the commercial columns of the daily papers rather than depend on the old fetish of a holiday market.

In the Iowa Legislative Assembly recently, Congressman Dawson paid the following tribute to the American hen: "Poets may sing of the glory of the eagle, and artists may paint the beauties of birds of plumage, but the modest American hen is entitled to a tribute for her industry, her usefulness, and her productivity. The American hen can produce wealth equal to the capital stock of all the banks of the New York Clearing House in three months, and have a week to spare. In less than 60 days she can equal the total production of all the gold mines in the United States. The United States proudly boasts of its enormous production of pigiron, by far the greatest of any country in the world, and yet the American hen produces as much in six months as all the iron mines in the country produce in a year. In one year and ten months she could pay off all the interest-bearing debt of the United States."

GUINEA FOWLS.

There is an eager demand for the above variety of poultry every day of the year, and the supply is so limited that the demand is never overtaken. Consequently good prices always rule. Guinea fowls are not largely kept in any country, and they are less favourites in Australia than elsewhere. Perhaps it is through their quarrelsome nature that so few fanciers patronise them; but there is no doubt about their profitableness. If allowed to roost in the fowlhouse they will often clear the perches of every fowl. Many instances are known of where they have blinded the fowls, by pecking at their eyes. The natural roosting-place for guinea fowls is in the trees, and the bulk of these who do breed them give the birds this privilege. As a rule guinea fowls do not commence to lay till September or October. They usually lay from 60 to 70 eggs in the season. Perhaps the birds, particularly at laying-time, and invariably make their nest a considerable distance from the homestead. They like to get to some hedge, amongst tall thistles, or other such cover, and unless watched when going to lay, their nests will be difficult to find. No other poultry is so much inbred as guinea fowls, the present stock being descended from very early importations, thus accounting for the difficulty many experience in rearing them. Some breeders say they are as delicate as young pheasants, while others maintain that they have no more trouble with them than with chickens. It is always best to rear them by common hens. The guinea hen being of a wandering disposition tires the young ones too much. If the weather be showery they get wet, which is fatal to them. The hen should be cooped up, but the chicks should have their liberty. They can be started on hard-boiled egg and bread crumbs for a week or two, and gradually weaned to the usual chicken mixtures. It is also well to give them a little finely-chopped lettuce, or other succulent green stuff. In three or four weeks they can be given their liberty, when they will leave the hen, and go to great distances to find insect life, of which they are very fond. It need not be attempted to keep them in confined runs like fowls. Such will only result in failure. When reared on a farm they get most of their own living, for as soon as reared those not intended for stock should be sold, as they would have to be kept till the following spring before any return would be had from them in eggs.

ACCIDENT IN TUNNEL.

The Civil Ambulance Brigade was summoned to the railway at 4 a.m. yesterday to attend two painters, one of whom, Hamilton Stewart, 45, of Botany-road, Waterloo, had to be admitted at Sydney Hospital by Dr. Prebe. It appears that the two men were standing on a ladder in the railway tunnel at Redfern, when the ladder collopsed or fell. Both men were thrown to the ground. Stewart fell beneath his partner, and received injuries to the right hand and knee. He is suffering a good deal from shock

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LEGAL NOTICES.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR A CERTIFICATE OF DISCHARGE.—In the Supreme Court of New South Wales.—In Bankruptcy.—No. 18,8[illegible].—Re CHARLES FREDERICK WALLIS, of 1 Charles-street, [illegible], Storekeeper.—To the Official Assignee and Creditors.—TAKE NOTICE that I, CHARLES FREDERICK WALLIS, intend to apply to the Court, Citizens'-chambers, Moore-street, Sydney, on WEDNESDAY, the 8th day of May, 1912, at 10 a.m., or as soon afterwards as the course of business will admit, that a Certificate of Discharge be granted to me under and according to the provisions of the Bankruptcy Act, 1898. Dated this 15th day of April, 1912.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—In Equity (No. 4441 of 1912).—In the Matter of the Companies Act, 1899, and in the Matter of THE CENTRAL AMALGAMATED HILL END, Limited.—NOTICE is hereby given that a Petition for the winding up of the abovenamed Company by the Court was on the twelfth day of April instant presented by CHRISTOPHER SMITH CROSS, of Number 8 Pitt-street, Sydney, Company Secretary, a creditor of the said Company, and that the said Petition is directed to be heard before the Honourable PHILIP WHISTLER STREET, Judge in Equity, on the thirtieth day of April, 1912, and any creditor or contributory of the said Company desirous to oppose the making of an order for the winding up of the said Company under the above Act should appear at the time of hearing, by himself or his counsel, for that purpose; and a copy of the petition will be furnished to any creditor or contributory of the said Company requiring the same by the undersigned on payment of the regulated charge for the same.

Dated this 15th day of April, 1912.

ALBERT H. JONES,
Solicitor for the Petitioner,
Union Bank-chambers,
68½ Pitt-street,
Sydney.

IN THE INTESTATE ESTATE of WILLIAM KELLY, late of Doncaster-avenue and Ascot-street, Kensington, Storekeeper, deceased.—All persons having claims against the above Estate are requested to forward the same, verified by affidavit, to the undersigned, on or before the seventh day of May, 1912. T. W. GARRETT, Curator of the above Estate. Chancery-square, Sydney, 16/4/1912.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Probate Jurisdiction.—No. 51,452.—In the Will and Codicil of GEORGE TYSON, late of Fernmount, Bellinger River, in the State of New South Wales, Hotelkeeper, deceased.—NOTICE is hereby given that the Second Accounts in the above Estate have this day been filed in my office, Chancery-square, King-street, Sydney, and all persons having any claim on the said Estate, or being otherwise interested therein, are hereby required to come in before me at my said office on or before Friday, the tenth day of May instant, at 11.45 o'clock in the forenoon, and inspect the same, and if they shall think fit object thereto; otherwise if the said Accounts be not objected to the same will be examined by me and passed according to law. And Notice is also hereby given that on the allowance of the said Accounts by the Court commission will be applied for on behalf of the Executors. Dated this sixteenth day of April, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and twelve. T. W. GARRETT (L.S.), Registrar. WILLIAM ALFRED GILDER, Proctor for the Executors, 92 Pitt-street, Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Will of JAMES MACKIE, late of Thornhill, Burrawang, in the State of New South Wales, Farmer, deceased.—Notice is hereby given that the Accounts in the Estate of the abovenamed deceased have this day been filed in my office, Chancery-square, King-street, Sydney, and all persons having any claim on the said Estate, or being otherwise interested therein, are hereby required to come in before me, at my said office, on or before Wednesday, the first day of May next, at 11.45 o'clock in the forenoon, and inspect the same, and, if they shall think fit, object thereto; otherwise, if the said Accounts be not objected to, the same will be passed according to law. And Notice is also hereby given that on the allowance of the said Accounts by the Court, Commission will be applied for on behalf of the Executors. Dated this third day of April, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and twelve. T. W. GARRETT (L.S.), Registrar. B. HAILLE PAINE, Solicitor for Executors, Moss Vale.

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IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Estate of JOHN SHARP McINTOSH, late of Bimbi, near Grenfell, in the State of New South Wales, Auctioneer, deceased, intestate.—Application will be made after fourteen days from the publication hereof that Administration of the Estate of the abovenamed deceased may be granted to ANN KERMATH GEYER, of St. Peters, near Sydney, the Sister, and one of the Next-of-kin of the said deceased; and all notices may be served at the offices of the undersigned. And all Creditors and other persons are requested to send in particulars of their claims within the said period of fourteen days, to the undersigned. CROMMELIN, BERTIE, and CO., Proctors for the Applicant, Grenfell. By L. G. B. CADDEN, their Agent, 64 Elizabeth-street, Sydney.

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IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Will of JAMES MULLINS, late of Malebo, near Wagga Wagga, in the State of New South Wales, Farmer, deceased.—Application will be made after fourteen days from the publication hereof that Probate of the Will of the abovenamed deceased may be granted to MARY MULLINS and MICHAEL MULLINS, the Executrix and Executor therein named; and all notices may be served and all creditors' claims are hereby required to be forthwith sent into the office of the undersigned. W. M. J. WALSH, Proctor for Executrix and Executor, Johnston-street, Wagga Wagga. Sydney Agents, McDONELL and MOFFITT, George and Wynyard streets, Sydney.

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ON THE LAND.

FARM AND STATION.

PREVAILING DRY SPELL.

PASTORAL AND WHEAT INDUSTRIES SUFFERING.

The prolonged absence of a good fall of rain over the bulk of the sheep and wheat sections of the State cannot fail to cause serious anxiety. There has been little rain since the beginning of the year, and as time passes it is only natural that fear of consequences should arise. This is the more so as we have been enjoying good seasons, and many feel the turn of the tide must be expected, and that we shall see a cycle of dry years. Anticipations for the worst are thus easily aroused. In addition the nature of the weather is not calculated to make experienced men optimistic. There has been in many districts a prevalence of unduly cold nights for the time o fthe year, added to constant indications of a change which does not come. Such conditions were a feature of the last severe general drought, and this similarity creates an unpleasant foreboding. As it is a great stretch of wheat and pastoral country on the other side of the dividing range is in a bad way, with the exception of isolated patches of small areas. In parts hand-feeding of stock has been going on for some time, and now many more owners are compelled to consider whether they shall embark on the same expense. News of deaths from want of feed also come in from different parts, while the scarcity of water is a most serious matter. Stock that has been sent to the mountains for the summer has to be lifted, and there is nothing for them at home. All these things make unpleasant reading, but it is idle to ignore their grave import.

The situation is worse up to the present from a pastoral standpoint than from that of the wheatgrower. Even if rain comes now there will probably be considerable loss of stock, while the autumn lambing must be seriously affected owing to the want of green feed for the ewes and lambs. Further, there is almost bound to be a shortage of feed during the winter in many parts. Prospects ahead of the sheep and wool industry are not therefore of the brightest, for, apart from reduction, through death, in the quantity of the clip, the quality is always affected by adverse seasons. Seeing that this is still incomparably the most important of our rural industries, or other industries, the matter is one of first importance, and decidedly concerns all sections of the community. This is a country where almost everything depends upon the seasons, and the present condition illustrates how far more momentous a good fall of rain may be compared to all efforts for good or ill of our legislators. Nothing ensures a truer perspective of the relative importance of things than the prospect of a droughty period, for the simple reason that we are all directly or indirectly dependent upon the soil for our living. Any serious blow to the rural industries, such as accompanies a drought, carries directly, and generally swiftly, an effect upon industries apparently far removed from the wheat paddock or the sheep run. That there may be a speedy change to better conditions and an avoidance of any overwhelming loss, must be the earnest desire of dwellers in city and country alike, if only from selfish motives—from a personal anxiety to avoid loss.

While scarcity of water is a trouble in some localities, stockowners are much more favourably situated in this respect than was the case a few years ago. The lesson of the past was not ignored, and active steps have been taken to provide better water conservation. The sub-artesian and artesian wells that have become a feature of many districts alter the position very materially, for stock can last through very bad times otherwise, if there is plenty of water available. Unhappily, excepting in very few cases, there has not been the same enterprise shown in conserving fodder, although the opportunity has unmistakably existed. Owners already must regret not doing something in this direction now that the need of feed is felt. There is, however, a great quantity of straw stacked throughout the wheat belt that should be valuable if present conditions keep up. That is, of course, providing a good lot of it has not rotted, for some of the stacking was not over-carefully done, and the exposure to the weather for some years may have had serious results. Should we be afflicted with a continuance of dry weather it will emphasise the marked neglect of two important matters for some years, by successive Governments—the construction of connecting cross-country lines and putting the travelling stock reserves in proper order. Both these matters have been kept prominently before our legislators since the last drought, but nothing has been done, with the exception that a start is now being made on one of the linking-up lines. It will be very deplorable if the folly of this fatal procrastination to handle great rural questions should be bitterly illustrated by a repetition of past history. If the apprehensions of a dry time as regards the future turn out to be premature (and everyone must hope they will), it is much to be desired that the alarm may be sufficient to cause attention to the two matters mentioned.

The wheatgrower is in a better position so far than the pasoralist, although for that matter, as most of our wheat men are also stockowners, they will be fearful of suffering from scarcity of feed and water. As regards the wheat crop, however, there is still plenty of time for rain. A good fall within the next month will ensure a sound start for the wheat, and the avesage farmer in most of our districts does not worry overmuch until next month begins to pass without a break in the weather. As it is, however, or at least unless rain comes within a very short time, it may be regarded as certain that the area under wheat will show a shrinkage, as the ground is now too hard to get the plough to work. Valuable time is being lost, and this will cause a decrease, in all likelihood, in the area cultivated. Seeing how all important the wheat crop is now to the civilised world, we are again brought face to face with the immense importance of good seasons. Still, we must also recognise that periods such as this bring home with direct force the necessity for good methods of culture. The wheatgrower who has fallowed his land, and, what is equally important, worked the fallow properly, is just now in a far better position than the man who has not done so. He can sow whenever he wishes, and, it might be noted, such farmers should waste no time in getting their seed in now and thus securing the full benefit of what rain may come. They stand in a much brighter position than the man who simply has to wait for rain before he can turn up his ground, for then he will not secure the same benefit from the moisture as in the case of an already prepared seed bed. In cases of late fallow the almost total absence of rain since the beginning of the year has not provided any opportunity to conserve moisture, but, even then, the land is richer and sweeter and more fertile than the stubble land. As, however—to face an unpalatable truth—it is only a very small proportion of our farmers who really do fallow their wheat land, it is to be hoped that we shall shortly be blessed with a solid downpour right throughout the wheatbelt.

The condition of the country beyond the coast and tablelands at the present time makes such a consummation of the utmost importance. Along the coast and for some distance inland there is an abundance of feed, and prospects for the winter appear to be of the best. The North Coast must be quite recovering from its recent touch of drought, although it was severe enough to do considerable damage, some of which will be felt for a long time. Generally, however, the dairying industry has nothing to complain of as regards the season. It is the great pastoral and wheat interests that are now at stake, and relief cannot come too soon.

STUMP-JUMP V DISC PLOUGH.

PARKES.—At the close of the F. and S. meeting on Saturday, Mr. R. Job delivered an address on the value of the stump-jump plough in cultivation. He favoured the stump jump, especially in new land, which, by its use, would be cleared of roots in a few years, when an ordinary set plough could be used if desired. The tendency of the plough to cut more ground that it was set for could be obviated by setting the front furrows with more "come to land" than the back furrows. New shares should be broken in one at a time on the back furrow, allowing the plough to draw lighter, and thus benefiting the horses. He favoured the stump-jump in preference to the disc, because it turned weeds and rubbish over better, and in certain seasons he had found the stump-jump, by the use of wheel coulters, turn over ground the disc would not look at. In reply t oan objection that the stump-jump left the seed-bed too open for dry weather, Mr. Job said, that it would allow the air to penetrate the soil, which was a good thing if it was not too open. The objector (Mr. S. Paterson) said he had obtained the best results by rolling the ground before sowing.

THE IRRIGATION SCHEME.

PROGRESS OF THE WORK.

A TOWN IN THE MAKING.

250 SETTLERS ON THE AREA.

WAGGA.—Those who have not visited Yanco—the scene of the Murrumbidgee Irrigation Settlement—since the area was resumed, or have never seen the place at all, would now be surprised at the extent of the progress made with this important State enterprise, and by the magnitude of the work on which an army of men is engaged. The weir at Berembed—about midway between Wagga and Narandera—is now in operation, diverting the waters of the Murrumbidgee into the great channel which describes a circuitous course, and acts as the feeder of a network of canals which start from Yanco. The place is not difficult to reach. One may leave Junee—main southern line—by train at 8.45 a.m., and arrive at Yanco at midday. Visitors are not numerous, a fact believed to be due to an impression that they would not be welcome. People who are really interested in this great work, however, and the majority would be if they had any clear conception of what is being done, may rely upon receiving a cordial welcome at any time from the officers in charge. The present, it may be admitted, is not an opportune time for touring in this particular region. The country throughout Riverina is just now looking dry, grey, and desolate for the most part, as a result of one of the driest summers and autumns experienced for many years; and about Yanco the mildest breeze serves to charge the whole atmosphere with clinging, impalpable brick-red dust, which at times hangs like a vast pall over the whole district.

There are oases in the desert, however, and at Yanco the seemingly interminable panorama of reddish-brown plains and grey and drab tablelands, which stretch for visionless miles towards the west, is relieved by splashes of green, which represent orchards and other areas of cultivation, and by the haze-enveloped blue hills of the north. Mr. F. G. Chomley, who is in charge of a 1700-acre experiment farm, situated near the railway station, has already obtained results which go to demonstrate—if any demonstration is now necessary—that, if adequate moisture is made available, the soil of this region is capable of profitably producing almost any kind of fruit, cereal, or vegetable that it is possible to grow in other parts of the country. In its dusty desert setting the orchard just now presents a pleasant and eye-refreshing spectacle.

There is a loop-line running to the Government workshops, where about 100 men are busily engaged in erecting the cottages which are intended for the settlers. The houses are being built in sections here, and will afterwards be removed and erected on the irrigation blocks as required. The shops are fitted up for effective and expeditious work. From here one goes north to the administrative offices along a route which will in due course be a tree-shaded avenue. Each side of this thoroughfare is a channel, along which it is intended to plant grasses and trees at regular intervals. Adjacent to the offices of the administrative staff—which includes Mr. L. B. Wade, chief engineer for irrigation; Mr. F. M. Smith, who was formerly in charge at Barren Jack, and is now the engineer in charge of the construction works on the area; Mr. W. F. Burrows, assistant construction engineer; and Mr. B. Shaw, assistant supervising engineer—is the main camp of the men.

One notes, as a gratifying feature of the undertaking, that the whole of the people connected with it, from the manual workers to the responsible officers, seem to take a personal pride in what is a national work. From the beginning the work has gone on with a smoothness that is remarkable, considering that few of those associated with it had had practical experience of an undertaking demanding special organising powers and foresight to ensure success; but as the scheme has been developed it has been found necessary to reorganise some of the departments. Mr. J. M'Kern, for some years registrar at the Wagga Experiment Farm, is now in charge of the accountancy branch at Yanco, and as there are 850 men employed on the works it may be said the billet is not to be considered a sinecure. At the beginning of the present year a pay system was introduced by Mr. Smith, which is found to work well and give satisfaction. The time-sheets are collected on Tuesday in pay-week, and when the money is made up it is distributed by means of motor cars, the men being paid on the work.

There is now a resident medical man at the camp—Dr. E. J. Holway, formerly of Wentworth. The main camp is built on orthodox military lines, the tents being roomy and comfortable. So far the water of the town has been provided in tanks, but within a few weeks it is expected that the pipe-laying will be completed, and that an adequate supply will be carried along each of the streets of the camp. There are numerous accommodation-houses on the area, which are used by single men. At the northern end of the camp quarters are provided for the married men. A general store is said to be badly needed, and it is the intention of the Government to supply this later on. At present the Narandera business-places supply the wants of the majority of the men in this respect. There are numbers of tradesmen in business on their own account, and they seem to be all doing well.

From the crown of the hill at the back of the main camp a fine view may be obtained of a considerable section of the area. On the slope of this hill the city of Leeton—called after Mr. C. A. Lee, who was Minister when the works were initiated—is to be built eventually. The town has already been surveyed, and the streets aligned, and one finds that every road in the locality converges on this city in the making, which is skirted by a broad avenue. The homes for the administrative staff and their families are now nearing completion. They are of handsome design. On some of the blocks are already erected the homes of new settlers, whilst on the other blocks, held under permissive occupancy, the settlers have erected temporary dwellings. There are about 250 settlers now on the new area, and during the coming winter a great deal of the land will be prepared for cultivation. Something like half of the settlers have taken possession of their blocks, and the majority of them are working either in the capacity of tradesmen or channelmen for the trust.

One of the departments recently reorganised was that of building and construction. The work is divided among gangs, in charge of a foreman, the whole being under the supervision of Mr. W. Witts, a well-known contractor, whose services have been retained by the Government. About 50 cottages have been erected, and 65 are about to be commenced. A large butter factory is also being built. It is claimed that when this is complete it will be the most modern establishment in the world in point of equipment. If a settler likes he may choose a design for his own cottage—one that will cost £100 or so. It is understood, however, that the average cost of the buildings will be about £300. Not much use has as yet been made of the Yanco portion of the area taken over from Sir Samuel M'Caughey, but it is still being turned to account for grazing purposes to some extent. A herd of about 750 young Ayrshire and Jersey heifers have been purchased, and they are being run on the area. Later on they are to be utilised to meet the demands of the settlers for dairy cattle, and are being mustered and classified by Mr. C. R. Lloyd. About 600 horses have also been depastured here—horses used on the channel works. Inquiry shows that very little water is likely to be drawn from the river before the end of the present year. It is stated that before the water is available the lands will have to be graded—indeed, it will not be required until that has been done. This work, it is said, will occupy the greater part of the current year. There is a school half-way between Leeton and Yanco, and a new school is in course of erection near the main camp.

P.P. BOARDS' COUNCIL OF ADVICE.

The quarterly meeting of the P.P. Boards' Council of Advice was held on Thursday last, when there were present Messrs. F. A. Mackenzie (chairman), P Oakes, F Bossley, J. J. Fletcher, and Russel Barton. Amongst other business dealt with was a letter from the Carcoar Board, advising the formation of a deputation to interview the Minister for Agriculture, protesting against the abolition of the boards. It was decided to co-operate with the deputation. The Under-Secretary for Lands wrote, advising that due notice of the visit of the Reserves Revision Board to country towns would be given, with a view to the board conferring with the local P.P. board.

In answer to an inquiry by the council as to whether an owner, failing to make his return of land and stock as required by section 12 of the P.P. Act, could be proceeded against after six months had elapsed, the chief inspector of stock wrote, advising that proceedings for recovery of the penalty for neglecting to make the return should be instituted before the expiration of six months from January 10.

MYALL CREEK.

SETTLERS ON ROAD TO SUCCESS.

Since the Myall Creek area was settled seven years ago, the face of the country has been changed by the work of the men who took up the blocks. Much still remains to be done, but the comfortable homes, the orchards, the cleared land, and other improvements show that the settlers are on the high-road to success. Large areas have been placed under cultivation, and wheat of excellent quality has been grown. In the Inverell district exhibit at the Royal Show, some fine samples of wheat, grown at Delungra, Mount Russell, and Littleplain, on the closer settlement area, were shown and indicate that there are good prospects for wheat growing. Crops of maize, oats, barley, and lucerne, are also grown. A number of dairies have been established, and cream is sent into the Inverell Butter factory. Where settlers have planted lucerne good profits have been made from the fat lamb industry. The town of Delungra, born of closer settlement, is growing rapidly and promises to become an important centre. Improvements to the extent of over £4000 have been carried out by the railway authorities.

PASTURES PROTECTION BOARDS.

CASINO.—The Casino P.P. Board has unanimously decided to support the nomination of Mr. P. B. Chauvel, chairman of the Kyogle Tick Advisory Board, to accompany the commission to America to inquire into tick matters. Mr. Chauvel was nominated to represent the stock-owners of the district. The nomination has given satisfaction. Mr. Chauvel has been connected with the Stock Department for years, and is a qualified stock inspector.

DAIRYING.

TAREE.—The output of the Manning River Dairy Co-operative Company for March was the best of any month in the history of the company. Twenty-five tons of butter were manufactured weekly. Pasture in the district is the best-known for years, and the cattle are unable to keep the feed down. The cream supply is expected to keep up well this winter.

WINGHAM.—The cream supply at Wingham butter factory maintains a satisfactory standard. During March suppliers were paid 10½d for first-class butter, and 9½d for second-class butter. The output for the month totalled 79,000lb.

LAND BOARDS.

INVERELL.—Before the Inverell Land Board on Friday T. Donoghue applied for permission to reside off his closer settlement purchase, Myall Creek, to wit, at the Delungra Hotel. Applicant was engaged in business at Delungra, and although the Closer Settlement Act gives settlers the right to live in any town or village within the closer settlement area, he had been advised that it was necessary to get permission, as the hotel was not built on an allotment comprised within the C.S. village proper, but on a freehold block purchased before the Myall Creek Estate was taken over by the Crown. The board held that the application was unnecessary, as the hotel was within the closer settlement area.

FARMERS' ASSOCIATIONS.

TEMORA.—The annual meeting of the Bagdad Farmers and Settlers' Association on Saturday was very well attended, and the keen interest which the settlers in that part of the Cootamundra electorate have manifested during the past four years is still very much alive. The balance-sheet showed a substantial credit, and the report showed that some good work had been done by the branch during the past year. The election of officers resulted:—President, Mr. John M'Lennan; vice-presidents, Messrs. John Denyer and K. Box; secretary and treasurer, Mr. R. E. Wallace. Messrs. J. Denyer and K. Box were appointed delegates to the Temora District Council. The Bagdad branch is very keen on the political questions of the day.

PARKES.—At the meeting of the Farmers and Settlers' Association on Saturday afternoon it was decided to ask the annual conference to take steps to secure the fixing of the f.a.q. wheat standard earlier in the season. In reply to a request from the Eugowra branch to support the candidature of Mr. John T. Noble, of Eugowra, for selection in the Liberal and Farmers and Settlers' Association for Ashburnham, the members present resolved to defer any definite decision until they had an opportunity of hearing Mr. Noble. It was decided that a protest should be sent to the municipal council against the suggested removal of the camping reserve from near the railway gates to the vicinity of the old racecourse dam on the outskirts of the town, and, in the event of the council carrying the proposition for removal that a strong protest be immediately forwarded to the Minister for Lands.

AGRICULTURAL SOCIETIES.

NOWRA.—The polling for the election of the committee of the Shoalhaven Agricultural Society on Saturday resulted in the return of all the old members, excepting Mr. Noakes and Mr. Begbie, who had retired. The new committeemen are Messrs. J. Pritchard and J. M. Henry.

TAMWORTH.—The profit on the recent show was £442. The indebtedness of the Tamworth P. and A. Association stands at £1472. The show dates for next year have been fixed for March 25, 26, and 27.

DISTRICT ITEMS.

CORAKI.—The Central Richmond River Agricultural Society has decided to at once fence the new site for their showground, and proceed with the erection of buildings, so that everything will be in readiness for the holding of the next exhibition on the new ground.

GOSFORD.—Passionfruit grown on Penany Mountain, Gosford, have commanded highest prices in Sydney markets, and have also been awarded first, second, and third prizes at Sydney show. Yet a few years ago this mountain land was looked upon as being useless. Experiments in the cultivation of passion and citrus fruits, however, proved successful, and scores of settlers from Cumberland district and other parts of the State are now busily engaged planting orchards and making homes for themselves. At Springfield, one and a half mile from Gosford, an enterprising Italian immigrant has acquired a farming property, which he proposes to work on scientific lines. With a crowbar holes are drilled in the ground, into which gelignite is placed, and in this way the subsoil is thoroughly broken up, and cultivation of vegetables aided.

HARDEN.—At a largely attended meeting of the Murrumburrah branch of the F. and S. Association, held on Saturday, several resolutions were proposed and carried, to be forwarded to the executive for consideration at the coming general conference in Sydney in July next. These chiefly dealt with matters of organisation. One was that a political committee should be formed to meet weekly in Sydney when necessary, and have full control of all election matters, the members of the executive to be ex-officio members of same. It was felt that if the association is to be a political party it will be necessary for meetings to be held at least once a week in Sydney; and that there are sufficient members of the association at present residing in or near Sydney to make a good body to manage and supervise this important work.

INVERELL.—Mr. A. H. E. M'Donald, Department of Agriculture, lectured on Friday night under the auspices of the local branch of the Agricultural Bureau on the making of ensilage.

YERONG CREEK.—The continued dry weather is causing much anxiety. Stations are now busy feeding stock, and if serviceable rains do not come soon prospects for the lambing and winter will become very gloomy. Much inconvenience is being experienced by the residents of the township, and water carting from the Government tank is now fairly general.

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PUBLIC NOTICES.

SANCTIFICATION AND JUSTIFICATION.
(Continued from issue of Saturday last.)
Man follows a fable cunningly devised for his destruction, when he makes himself think that the Lord Jesus Christ the sacrifice is also God the only begotten Son. In this way man may ignore the Father. God, the only begotten Son, Who is also called the Christ and God the Holy Spirit, Who is also called Jesus; Who together descended from Heaven and ascended into Heaven in the day of the ascension.
Though the created life and breath of life in man cannot pray, yet, when such life in faith dies in the Lord Jesus Christ the sacrifice then the eternal life of the new man will, in the spirit, pray:—
Our Father, God the only begotten Son, Whom God the Father Almighty sent into the world in the day of the ascension into Heaven of Jesus Christ, Who in His death is the sanctification from sin of the natural life and breath of life within us, who in faith die in Him, God our sacrifice, in Whom we are sanctified from sin: That Thou our Father may beget eternal life within us who art born of Thee, out of the living blood of atonement that flows from the living Christ as He rises from the dead in the day of His sacrifice.
Hallowed by Thy Name, Who begets eternal life within us, that is justified unto eternal life;
Thy Kingdom come;
Thy will be done, as in Heaven, so on earth;
Give us Thy Children, who in faith are of eternal life justified unto eternal life, day by day our bread of eternal life for the coming heavenly day; while in the natural life as sanctified from sin by Jesus the sacrifice, we of the natural life work for the bread of this world in obedience to the law;
And forgive us, Thy children of eternal life, begotten of Thee our Father, our sins, as we forgive them that sin against us;
And bring us Thy children of eternal life, not into temptation that comes from the Adam manhood within us, but deliver us from the evil one of Adam.
In the Name of our Lord Jesus, the Holy Spirit, Thy firstborn Son, our Advocate, and our justification unto eternal life, Whom Thou our Father didst send into the world in the day of the ascension into heaven of Jesus Christ, to justify the eternal life of the new man as begotten of Thee. Yea, in the Name of the Holy Spirit, Who Himself maketh intercession for us, we who in faith are of eternal life, pray to Thee our Father in Heaven.
The bread of our Lord Jesus the Holy Spirit, that feedeth all who in faith are of eternal life justified in the Holy Spirit unto eternal life, and the love of our Father, God the only begotten Son, be with us all, evermore. Amen.
So urgent are the needs of man that we think we are justified in thus publicly teaching, that man has hitherto erred in not receiving the Father God, the only begotten Son and God the Holy Spirit, Who in the glory of His divine majesty, visible to the eternal life of apostles and faithful disciples, came into the world, in the day of the ascension into heaven of Jesus Christ that He may beget and justify the eternal life of all new men, who are in faith begotten and justified of Him the Father God, the only begotten Son, and God the Holy Spirit.
The Apostles are not divided, for they all in the spirit teach that they who say that Jesus Christ is man's sanctification and justification unto eternal life went out from us, but they were not of us; for if they had been of us, they would have continued with us; but they went out, that it might be made manifest, how that they all are not of us who believe that God our Father, even God the only begotten Son, blesses the new man according to the spirit of his eternal life.
Whereas the breath of life in man, though it dies in Christ the sacrifice; yet it shall be born from above an eternal life of the Father God, the only begotten son, and be justified of God, the Holy Spirit, who together came into the world in the day of the ascension.
Issued this 15th April, 1912, under the hand of WILLIAM CLARE CARDEW, A teacher of the Gospel.

RECEIVING DEPOT FOR IMMIGRANTS. (SYDNEY MORNING HERALD FUND.)
PUBLIC MONEY HAS BEEN FREELY USED in stating through the press of the United Kingdom that the State of New South Wales is in URGENT NEED OF IMMIGRANTS, especially SKILLED ARTISANS for the Building and other trades. FOR WANT OF A RECEIVING DEPOT, in which temporary accommodation can be assured for women and children immediately upon their arrival at this port, WE HAVE RELUCTANTLY BEEN COMPELLED TO USE PUBLIC MONEY IN PREVENTING MANY SPECIALLY SELECTED FAMILIES FROM COMING HERE. Work for the men is PLENTIFUL, but accommodation for women and children immediately upon arrival is ALMOST IMPOSSIBLE TO OBTAIN.
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Other States have Receiving Depots, and the URGENT NEED of one in Sydney must be APPARENT TO ALL.
NO BETTER MEMORIAL can be erected to the memory of the LATE KING EDWARD VII. than in extending a welcome to SOME OF THE DESERVING WOMEN AND CHILDREN, IN WHOSE WELFARE HE TOOK SUCH A KEEN INTEREST. Considering the unparalleled hardships that thousands of our kinsfolk in the Old Country are to-day enduring, we hope this explanation may lead to a PROMPT RESPONSE from the citizens of NEW SOUTH WALES, and that the balance required for this Depot MAY SOON BE FORTHCOMING.
HERBERT E. EASTON, Hon. Secty., British Immigration League, 14 Castlereagh-street, city.

Department of Taxation, George-street North, Sydney, 10th April, 1912.
IN THE MATTER of the Income Tax Act, 1911, the Income Tax (Management) Act, 1912, and the Income Tax (Amendment) Act, 1912.
Attention is invited to the fact that, under the provisions of the abovementioned Acts, all persons in receipt of rents, or dividends from companies, are required to furnish income tax returns to the Commissioners of Taxation in respect thereof, giving particulars of the amounts received for the year ended 31st December, 1911.
Failure to furnish returns renders persons liable to a fine not exceeding £20.
(Sgd.) L. S. SPILLER, J. W. HOLLIMAN, Commissioners of Taxation.

IN THE MATTER OF THE "AUSTRALIAN FIELD" NEWSPAPER COMPANY, LIMITED (IN LIQUIDATION).
Notice is hereby given that the Creditors of the abovenamed Company are required on or before the 31st day of May, 1912, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, and the names and addresses of their solicitors (if any), to the undersigned, and if so required by notice in writing from the said Liquidator, are, by their solicitors, to come in and prove their said debts and claims at such time and place as shall be specified in such notice, or, in default thereof, they will be excluded from the benefit of any distribution made before such debts are proved.
Dated this 12th day of April, 1912.
WILLIAM BEAUMONT SMALL, 16 O'Connell-street, Sydney, Liquidator of the abovenamed Company.

Metropolitan Board of Water Supply and Sewerage, 341 Pitt-street, Sydney, April, 1912.
WATER AND SEWERAGE RATES, METER ACCOUNTS, AND ANNUAL WATER FEE FOR MAINTAINING STOCK.
NOTICE is hereby given that proceedings are now being taken for the recovery of all outstanding accounts.
Persons maintaining stock at premises not supplied by meter, and who have not paid the annual fee of 5s per head, should do so at once, as no further notice will be given prior to action.
By order. (61-102) WILLIAM HOLMES, Secretary.

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THE TRANSFER BOOKS will CLOSE at 4 p.m. on MONDAY, APRIL 29th, until THURSDAY, MAY 2nd, for the seventeenth dividend, the amount and due date of which will be advertised later.
F. H. CLARK, Colonial Secretary, 26 Steamship-buildings, Adelaide.
April 12th, 1912.

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FREDERICK J. SMITH AND JOHNSON, Public Accountants, 7 Moore-street, Sydney.
17th April, 1912.

ELECTORS of Alexandria.—Do not pledge yourselves. The Patriotic Wm. (Billy) MARTIN, has consented to be nominated. F. CAIN, Sec. Pro. Tem.

I HEREBY CAUTION the Persons who are scandalising me and my daughter's name. I shall take legal proceedings against them. (Signed) Mrs. A. E. BROWN, 18 Chisholm-street, Surry Hills.

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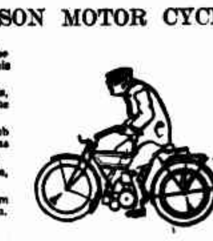

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Department of Defence,
Melbourne, 12th April, 1912.

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Commonwealth of Australia,
Department of Home Affairs,
Melbourne, 16th April, 1912.

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TENDERS will be received until noon on MONDAY, the 6th MAY, 1912, for the Supply of Joinery for the Married Officers' Quarters at Acton, Federal Capital.

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GOVERNMENT NOTICES.

Commonwealth of Australia,
Department of Home Affairs,
Melbourne, 16th April, 1912.

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Commonwealth of Australia,
Department of Home Affairs,
Melbourne, 15th April, 1912.

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LAW REPORT.

HIGH COURT OF AUSTRALIA.

(Before Sir Samuel Griffith, C.J., Mr. Justice Barton, and Mr. Justice Isaacs.)

DEMOLITION OF PROPERTY.

A MUNICIPAL CASE.

At the conclusion of the argument in the appeal of the Municipal Council of Sydney against the order of the New South Wales Full Court, judgment was reserved.

Mr. Knox, K.C., and Mr. Edwards, instructed by Mr. P. S. Dawson, city solicitor, appeared for the council; and Mr. Lamb, K.C., and Mr. Sheridan, instructed by Mr. M. J. Harris, for the respondent.

The council appealed against the order of the Full Court granting a rule absolute for mandamus directed to the council to hear and determine according to law the matter of the proposed demolition of a stable, the property of Sir Matthew Harris, the respondent.

ABSENT FROM WORK.

Employee's Responsibility.

Spooner v Alexander.

An interesting point was raised in the case in which John William Spooner was the appellant and Hyam Alexander the respondent, in respect to the right of an employee to absent himself from work without reasonable excuse prior to the expiration of his contract.

The matter was a test appeal, which involved several cases heard and adjudicated upon by the police magistrate sitting in the Lithgow Court of Petty Sessions in August of last year.

Mr. Knox, K.C., and Mr. Pickburn, instructed by Mr. H. F. Thompson, of Lithgow, by his agents, Messrs. Dawson, Waldron, and Glover, appeared for the appellant, who is the colliery manager for the firm of Messrs. G. and C. Hoskins, Ltd.; and Mr. Wise, K.C., and Mr. Boyce, instructed by Mr. A. J. Tartakover, of Lithgow, by his agent, Mr. George H. Turner, for the respondent.

It was set out that the matter was the outcome of a summons case heard in the Court of Petty Sessions at Lithgow, in which the appellant Spooner sued the respondent, Alexander, on the ground that he had absented himself from his work with the firm of Messrs. G. and C. Hoskins, without reasonable cause, before the term of his contract had expired, which was held to be a contravention of the provisions of the Masters and Servants Act. At the time evidence was taken, and a conviction was recorded, the police magistrate having fined the defendant £3 and costs, in default imprisonment with hard labour for one month in Bathurst gaol.

The matter later on came before Mr. Acting Justice Ferguson, and an order nisi was granted, on the ground that there was no evidence of absence without reasonable cause within the meaning of the Masters and Servants Act; but there was no evidence that Alexander knew he had no reasonable cause, and that the evidence at the trial showed that a condition of the contract of service had been broken before he absented himself. Subsequently the rule was made absolute by the Full Court, consisting of Mr. Justice Pring, Mr. Justice Gordon, and Mr. Acting Justice Ferguson.

As the respondent, Hyam Alexander, declined to resume work at the Iron Works tunnel the question of reasonable cause arose. There were others besides Alexander who were also fined, and who declined to return to work, but their cases were not directly mentioned in the present appeal. It was on July 17 that Alexander declined to go to work, unless Cairnes, a fellow-workman, who had been discharged from the service of the company for attending a delegate meeting of the union, accompanied him and the other miners at the resumption of work. The contention of the defendant was that the implied contract was the same as in other collieries, namely, that when the representative of the men was required to attend a delegate meeting he was entitled to a day off.

It was held by the Judges of the Full Court that the custom, as set up by the witnesses for the defence, was absolutely proved, and such custom bound both masters and servants, it being immaterial whether the masters knew of it or not; also that it was fair inference that it was part of the contract, not only with the delegate, but with each of the miners.

The present appeal was brought on the ground that the findings of the Full Court were erroneous.

Argument was not concluded when the Court rose.

SUPREME COURT.

BANCO COURT.

(Before Mr. Justice Pring and a jury of four.)

ACCIDENT AT WALKER'S HOSPITAL.

ACTION BY A WIDOW.

Watson v Walker and others.

Mr. Bignold, instructed by Mr. E. J. Peterson, appeared for the plaintiff; and Mr. Lamb, K.C., and Mr. Milner Stephen, instructed by Messrs. Fisher and Macansh, for the defendants. This was an action brought by Emily Edith Watson, administratrix of the estate of David Andrew Sydney Watson, deceased, on behalf of herself as his wife, and his six children, against J. T. Walker, Arthur J. Mackenzie, and A. Consett Stephen, as trustees of the Walker Convalescent Hospital, Parramatta, to recover compensation for the loss of her husband, caused, as she alleged, by the negligence of defendants or their servants, in the care, control, and management of the institution. The case for the plaintiff, as stated by Mr. Bignold, was that David A. S. Watson became an inmate of the Walker Hospital. On July 23 Mrs. Watson and one or two members of her family and a friend proceeded to the hospital, on a visit to her husband. At 7 p.m., after the party had had tea, Mr. Watson was asked by one of his daughters for a bag to put some fruit in. In order to obtain what was required, he had to go to another part of the building, passing along a passage, which opened upon a corridor with glass doors. The corridor in question had a dwarf wall on one side, and 14 or 15 feet below there was a basement. When Mr. Watson reached the corridor through the glass doors he fell over the dwarf wall and on to the basement below, sustaining injuries from which he subsequently died.

The defendants pleaded not guilty, and that the deceased was not permitted or allowed by the defendants to use the passage and corridor, and that he was not lawfully passing along the corridor when the accident occurred.

The case stands part heard.

A TRAMWAY ACCIDENT.

Warberg v Chief Commissioner.

Mr. James and Mr. Breckenridge, instructed by Mr. W. Arnott, appeared for the plaintiff, and Mr. Ralston, K.C., and Mr. Boyce, instructed by Mr. J. S. Cargill (solicitor to the Railway Commissioners) for the defendant. This was an action brought by Fred. Warberg against the Chief Commissioner for Railways and Tramways to recover compensation for injuries sustained by him owing, as he alleged, to the negligence of the defendant's servants in the management of a tram. The case for the plaintiff, who is agent for the British and German Mills, paper manufacturers, was that on July 27 last, between 5.30 and 6 p.m. he was waiting at the intersection of Pitt and Hunter streets for a railway tram. Three, which were crowded, he allowed to pass, and when the fourth pulled up at Hunter-street he caught hold of the stancheon and had one foot on the step or footboard of the car when the tram started. The result was that he was thrown into the roadway, and one of the wheels of the tram passed over his right foot. He had lost about £150, exclusive of expenses for medical attendance.

The defendant pleaded not guilty.

Audley H. Brennan, corresponding clerk in the Colonial Sugar Refining Company, said he was on the front platform of the smoking car on the evening in question, and when the tram had gone a car's length after leaving Hunter-street, he saw an elderly gentleman like the plaintiff run across from the western side of Pitt-street. He got one foot on to the step, with his hand on the stanchion, when he lost his balance and fell on to the roadway.

The jury returned a verdict for the defendant.

DIVORCE COURT.

(Before Mr. Justice Gordon.)

MADE ABSOLUTE.

The following decrees nisi were made absolute: Steer v Steer, Michel v Michel, Bubb v Bubb, Rutter v Rutter, O'Mara v O'Mara, Miller v Miller, Cox v Cox, Brown v Brown.

IN BANKRUPTCY.

(Before the Registrar, Mr. Salusbury.)

HEARING OF CREDITORS' PETITIONS.

Re George H. Pritchett, ex parte George and O'Keefe. Mr. H. C. Rich appeared for the petitioning creditor, and Mr. Ash appeared for the respondent. By consent, the matter was adjourned till July 3.

SINGLE MEETINGS AND PUBLIC EXAMINATIONS.

Re Savary Trebarta Rodd. Bankrupt was examined by the official assignee, and the matter was then adjourned till April 30.

Re Archibald Henry Fullerton. Bankrupt was examined by the official assignee, and the application was concluded.

Re Emma Carter. On the application of the official assignee an adjournment was granted till April 30.

CREDITORS' PETITIONS.

John Elliott, of Fairy Meadow, near Wollongong, butcher, versus Arthur George Dodimeade, of Crown-street, Wollongong. Petition to be heard on April 22.

J. H. Cutler, of 70 King-street, Sydney, tailor, v J. Lacey, of Challis-house, Martin-place, timber merchant. Petition to be heard on April 22.

INDUSTRIAL COURT.

(Before Judge Scholes.)

ALLEGED BREACH OF AN AWARD.

Scrutton and Co., Ltd., were proceeded against on a summons for an alleged breach of the Boilermakers' Award, in reference to the employment of Thomas Wright. The matter resolved itself into a question as to whether Wright was a girder-builder or a labourer.

His Honor decided that Wright was a Journeyman within the meaning of the award of the Iron Trades (Boilermakers') Board, of August 16. The penalty was fixed at 5s and costs, 13s.

Mr. Wegg-Horne said that, in the other eight cases they would plead guilty. His Honor imposed similar penalties.

DISTRICT COURT.

(Before Judge Rogers.)

ALLEGED BREACH OF CONTRACT.

Beatrice Boulter, of Belgravia, Bayswater-road, Darlinghurst, sued the American Manufacturing Company, Limited, of No. 283 Clarence-street, to recover £200 for alleged wrongful dismissal.

Mr. Harper, instructed by Messrs. Minter, Simpson, and Co., appeared for plaintiff; and Dr. Brissenden, instructed by Mr. Leon L. Cohen, appeared for the defendant company.

The plaintiff set out that she entered into a 12 months' agreement with the defendant company on November 20, 1911, to act in the capacity of designer of blouses, robes, and underclothing, and as manager of defendants' factory, at a salary of £5 per week; but before the expiration of the time stipulated in the contract they dismissed her. The defendants denied that they had committed any breach of contract, and pleaded that the plaintiff had been dismissed from their service because she disobeyed the reasonable orders of the company.

The case had not concluded when the Court adjourned.

QUARTER SESSIONS.

(Before Judge Backhouse and juries.)

Mr. Herbert Harris, Crown Prosecutor.

AN EVENING EPISODE.

Winifred Lannon, Reginald Bye, Alfred Campbell, and Percy Barrow were charged with having, in company, at Sydney, on February 15, assaulted Ernest Higinbotham, and robbed him of £3 5s. All the accused entered pleas of not guilty.

Mr. Gannon, K.C., instructed by Mr. H. Everingham, appeared for the accused Campbell; and Mr. Kemmis appeared for the accused Bye and Lannon.

The prosecutor stated that he was employed as second steward on a steamer. When walking along Sussex-street on the night in question, he was assaulted and robbed of some silver. Later on prosecutor was subjected to further ill-treatment, and three sovereigns were taken from him.

The jury returned a verdict of guilty against Bye and Barrow, who were remanded for sentence, the other accused being acquitted.

TWO MEN SENTENCED.

Sentence was passed on John Wilton and Henry Westcott, who were charged several days ago with stealing a watchchain and pendant, the property of Michael Aloysius M'Cabe, on March 11, at Sydney. Wilton pleaded guilty, but Westcott denied the charge.

At the trial of Westcott evidence was given in support of the prosecution to the effect that M'Cabe was travelling in a Pitt-street car, and when nearing Bathurst-street he felt his watch-chain snatched. The accused and his companion immediately jumped off the car and were pursued by the prosecutor and a friend. Both the accused were ultimately arrested.

The jury returned a verdict of guilty against Westcott.

Both the accused were sentenced to imprisonment for three years. His Honor, in passing sentence, said they had narrowly escaped being treated as habitual criminals. His Honor declined to consider a plea advanced by Westcott, that he had still six months of an unfinished sentence, which had been passed on him in Victoria, to serve.

A CANTERBURY CASE.

George Charles Augustus Draper, 39, was charged with having at Canterbury, on February 16, attempted to assault a girl, aged nine years and ten months. A plea of not guilty was entered by the accused, who was defended by Mr. J. W. Abigail.

The jury returned a verdict of guilty, with a recommendation to mercy, on account of the previous good character of accused. Accused was remanded for sentence.

APPEAL COURT.

(Before Judge Edmunds.)

CONVICTIONS QUASHED.

ALLEGED BREACH OF LIQUOR ACT.

Herbert Joseph Williamson, licensee of the Metropolitan Hotel, Pitt-street, Sydney, appealed against his convictions by Mr. A. N. Barnett, S.M., at the Central Police Court, on January 19, when he was charged with having committed two breaches of the Liquor Act on Christmas Day between the hours of 9 and 10 p.m., in permitting liquor to be consumed on the premises by two persons, other than bona-fide travellers. For each of the alleged offences the defendant was convicted and fined £10 and 6s costs, in default, two months' imprisonment with hard labour.

Mr. W. A. Walsh, instructed by Messrs. Shipway and Berne, appeared for the appellant; and Mr. Bevan, instructed by the Crown Solicitor, for the respondent, Sub-inspector Kelly.

It appeared, according to the evidence, that the licensee had placed a plank outside the doors of the bar, and along the length of the bar premises. The plank was raised about 4ft from the pavement. The space below the plank, although outside the bar-doors, was said to be portion of the licensed premises. It was a step up from the pavement to the level of the floor, and to the bar doors.

At the time in question liquor was served from the bar through the doors, which were left open, across the improvised counter, and was consumed by persons upon the footpath. In one case a customer, while drinking, placed his foot upon the step beneath the plank, and in the other case another customer, while drinking upon the pathway, placed his left forearm—the glass being in his right hand—upon the improvised counter.

When the case came before the police court Mr. Barnett held that in each case the individual was upon the licensed premises when the liquor was consumed.

The appeals were upheld, and the convictions were quashed.

LAW NOTICES.

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 17.

HIGH COURT OF AUSTRALIA.

At Darlinghurst Courthouse.—At 10.30 a.m.: Spooner v Alexander (part heard); Young and others v Tibbits and others; Willis and another v Perry.

SUPREME COURT.

Banco Court, St. James'-road.—Watson v Walker and others (part heard).

Prothonotary's Office.—Before the Prothonotary: Lawler v McCabe, 11 a.m.; re E. J. Peterson's costs against Ellisdon, Ltd., 12. High Court: Colon Peaks Mfg. Co., v Council of the Wollondilly Shire, 2.15 p.m.; J. V. and A. C. Bartlett v Council of the Wollondilly Shire, 2.15 p.m.

In Chambers.—At 9.30 a.m.: Paul v Pettitt, for security.

Probate Jurisdiction.—The following accounts will be taken at the Probate Office: 10, Sidney J. R. Upton; 10.15, Thomas Smith; 10.30, Charles Ryals; 11, James Beadford; 11.30, Caroline B. Healey; 12, James C. Beck; 12.15, Isabella Bartlett; 12.30, Sarah E. Woolls.

In Equity.—Before the Chief Judge in Equity.—At 10 a.m.: Cripps v Morgan (part heard). Before Mr. Acting Justice Rich.—No. 2 Jury Court.—At 10 a.m.: Measures v Carrigan, for judgment; Suttor and another v Rybot, originating summons. Before the Master in Equity.—At 11 a.m.: Gray v Municipal Council of Prospect and Sherwood, to proceed on reference.

In Divorce.—Before the Judge in Divorce.—In No. 4 Jury Court.—At 10 a.m.—Cause list: Kensey v Kensey (part heard), Moneypenny v Moneypenny (Jordon co-respondent), Corney v Corney, Bishop v Bishop, Magee v Magee, Gibson v Gibson (Martin co-respondent), Newton-Carroll v Newton-Carroll, Moss v Moss.

In Bankruptcy.—Before the Registrar.—At 10 a.m.: Motion for release: Thomas Nepean Upton. Certificate applications: William Simpson, Frederick Orton Thompson, Hugh Arnold, Grace Cox, Alexander Thomson, Herman Blackston, Charles Hunt (insolvency), Henry Ricketts Davidge. Single meeting and public examination: Ernest Alfred Lambourne Dent.

DISTRICT COURT.

Before his Honor Judge Rogers, K.C.—At 10 a.m.: Boulter v The American Manufacturing Company, Limited (part heard), Hansen v Brown, Mason v Langdon and another, Barton v the Municipal Council of Sydney, Dailey v Pitt and others. Note.—The list will be called over punctually at 10 a.m. Before the Registrar.—At 11.30 a.m.: Wooler v Stevenson.

INDUSTRIAL COURT.

At the Industrial Court-house, Queen's-square.—Before his Honor Judge Scholes.—At 10 a.m.: For hearing—Re Shipping (Tug Boat) award, application for variation; re Smelting (Electrolytic) award, application for leave to appeal; re Storeman and Packers' (Wholesale Grocery) award, appeal to Court.

INDUSTRIAL REGISTRAR'S COURT.

At the Water Police Court.At 10.30 a.m.: For hearing—Summonses for penalty, Allan v Stafford Bros. (2), Connington v Warburton and Son; summons for money due, Farrell v Warburton and Son.

QUARTER SESSIONS.

Sydney Lewis Anselin, breaking and entering dwelling-house and stealing therein; Henry Moss, false pretences; Leicester Ferguson, false pretences; Andrew Molloy, assault occasioning actual bodily harm; Percy Herbert Sanguinette, bigamy.

AN INJURED SEAMAN.

PROCEEDINGS UNDER MERCHANTS SHIPPING ACT.

A QUESTION OF LIABILITY.

A case of considerable interest in shipping circles was heard yesterday before Mr. C. N. Payten, S.M., at the Water Summons Court. Richard Kendall proceeded against Samuel H. Quayle, master of the British vessel Queen Elizabeth, for expenses to provide the necessary surgical and medical attendance and maintenance between February 25 last and date or until Kendall was cured or died, or was returned to the port of return.

Kendall was a member of the crew of the Queen Elizabeth, having signed on at New York. He was in such a state of health that it was dangerous for him to go to sea. The claim was for medical attention and maintenance while he was in Sydney, and was based on the provisions of the Merchants Shipping Act of 1904-1906. The case is the first of its kind heard in this State.

Dr. Newmarch stated that he had examined Kendall the previous night, and found him to be suffering from partial paralysis and a rupture of the drum of one of his ears. Kendall staggered when he walked, his speech was affected, and he appeared decidedly ill. Witness was of opinion that it was necessary for Kendall to go to hospital, and probably be operated upon. It would take from four to six weeks to give relief, as the ear was in such a condition that it was probable an abscess would form on the brain. It would not be safe for Kendall to proceed to sea either as a passenger or a member of the crew. If he were sent to Sydney Hospital the cost would be £1 a week, and he (witness) would recommend that he be sent there for four or six weeks.

Mr. Payten: How was the affection caused?

Dr. Newmarch: I should think that he has had a fractured skull.

Kendall stated that in February last while at sea he had been knocked down, and had fallen on the back of his head.

Mr. Payten: Is the ship's log here?

Mr. Payten: If there is no entry in the ship's log of the accident, it is a serious thing, and I may have to bring the matter under the notice of the shipping master, and there will probably be trouble.

It was stated that the Queen Elizabeth was a four-masted ship trading between London and New York with chalk, and between New York and Australia with oil. The vessel is owned by Black, Moore, and Co., of London.

Mr. Maddrell at this stage objected that Kendall was discharged from the vessel on February 29 last in New Zealand. The information was laid on April 15, so that Kendall was not a seaman belonging to the ship on that date.

Mr. Payten: I can't admit that he was discharged unless it is proved.

Richard Kendall said he was an A.B., and had joined the ship in New York for three years. They came from New York to New Zealand. About the middle of February, when on the high seas, he heard a whistle blow aft, and in response to the signal he was walking across the deck, when the ship rolled and shipped a heavy sea, which knocked him down, and his head struck the deck. He got up, felt a bit stunned, but went on working. Ever since he had suffered from headaches. He did not report the occurrence to anyone, but it was well known that he had been knocked down. Just before reaching New Zealand he got worse, his face was swollen, and his mouth twisted. The day after berthing he told the master, who gave witness a liniment, and said that he did not think medical attention was necessary. Later he got leave, and went to a hospital, where he was told he was suffering from facial paralysis, and was kept in bed for three weeks. The ship left for Sydney three days after witness was admitted. The captain called at the hospital before the vessel sailed, and wanted to pay him off, but witness refused to be paid off. At the end of March he was discharged from hospital, and was placed on board a ship sailing for Sydney. On leaving the hospital he was handed his discharge from the ship, but without his consent or authority. He did not receive any money at the shipping office in New Zealand, though he got his full wages while in the hospital. He was willing to be discharged here if he were given a passage home and if his medical expenses were paid.

Mr. Payten said that his view of the Shipping Act was that no man could be discharged without his consent, especially when it was provided that he should be discharged in the United Kingdom. He wanted to know if there was any chance of his suggestion being carried out about paying the man's fare home.

Mr. Maddrell: I am quite prepared to let the matter go before the shipping master to decide what he will do for this man.

Mr. Payten: No matter what the nature of his illness is, so long as it has not been caused by the man's own neglect, you are liable. The keep or the medical attention of this man cannot be paid by the British possessions. Either the shipping company or the British Government is responsible.

Defendant Quayle, in his evidence, said he had deposited £50 with the shipping authorities in New Zealand on Kendall's behalf.

William Henry Mason, shipping master, Sydney, said that in his opinion Kendall was legally discharged, and it was questionable if the New Zealand bond applied to this State.

Mr. Payten: I think the ship should be made liable, and if representations were made to the Board of Trade at home it would insist on the ship providing for the man here. It is a matter for the shipping master, and I can't make any order. I dismiss the case, for the consideration of the Board of Trade.

The information was dismissed.

MUNICIPAL CASE.

A case of importance was dealt with at the Hunter's Hill Police Court on 12th instant, before Messrs. Armstrong, Brown, and King, Js.P. The council proceeded against H. D. Trinder, a plumber, licensed by the Water and Sewerage Board, for opening a roadway in the municipality without having obtained the council's permission. The Bench imposed a fine of £5 and costs.

TAXI-CAB FATALITY.

An inquiry concerning the death of Henry O'Brien, 50, a labourer, who died in the Prince Alfred Hospital on April 9, was conducted by the City Coroner, Mr. Hawkins, yesterday.

Dr. A. J. Gibson, of the Prince Alfred Hospital, stated in evidence that the deceased when admitted was unconscious, and he smelt strongly of alcohol. His death was the result of a fractured skull and other injuries.

Other evidence showed that at about 11 p.m. on April 9 a taxicab (No. 236), driven by Albert Gustave Truberg, was speeding down Newtown-road at about eight or ten miles an hour, when, near Missenden-road, the deceased man was seen to alight from an Addison-road tram, and cross over to the footpath. The taxi driver sounded his horn. Reaching the footpath, however, the deceased turned round and walked in the track of the taxi-cab. At this juncture the taxi was but six or seven feet away. Realising the inevitable, the taxi-driver put his clutch out, jammed on both brakes, and swerved to avoid the deceased. It was impossible to do so, however. The mud-guard of the car caught up the deceased, and carried him along a short distance, when his body was run over by the left wheel.

In delivering a verdict of accidental death, the coroner remarked that no blame seemed to be attached to the driver of the taxi-cab. He seemed to have done all possible to avoid the accident.

MASTER MARINER FINED.

At the Water Summons Court yesterday, before Mr. C. N. Payten, S.M., Thomas Train, master of the steamer Moresby, was proceeded against upon an information, alleging that, on April 8 he so negligently handled his vessel that it collided with the dolphin and protecting platform of the Pyrmont Bridge, inflicting damage.

Mr. Bathgate, of the Crown Law Office, said that the Moresby was being towed through the bridge by the tugs Emu and Storm King, and the strong wind that was blowing carried her on to the dolphin of the bridge, inflicting damage to the extent of about £14 10s. The vessel should not have left the wharf without being under steam.

Defendant, who pleaded guilty, said that the strong south-easterly wind carried him into the bridge. A fine of £2 was imposed, with 6s costs, or in default 14 days' imprisonment.

FEET INFLAMED, CONSTANT ITCHING.

"About twelve months ago, while residing at Newry, Gippsland, I was very much troubled with my feet. They were highly inflamed, and on rising the foot off the ground it seemed as though someone were searing the soles with a red-hot iron. There was a constant itching which was very trying, particularly at nights, as it made sleep impossible. I tried all the largely-advertised remedies, such as ointments, soaps, etc., but all these acted only as so much water might have done. I was advised to try Cuticura Ointment, which I did, and I am pleased to say that in an incredibly short space of time the inflammation disappeared, and the cure was so complete that I afterwards engaged in football, an idea which in my former condition was the height of absurdity. I have also used the Cuticura Ointment for boils, and find that it is highly satisfactory, and, best of all, completely eliminates the usual disfiguring marks. I have also used Cuticura Soap, and would not think of washing with the old adulterated, impure rubbish which is wrongly called soap. I wish you would publish this letter so that other sufferers may benefit by my experience." (Signed) Gus. Forde Long, 282 Dorcas-street, Melbourne, Vic., March 26, 1911.

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FOODS COMMISSION.

MARGARINE AND EGGS.

COLOURING MATTER DEFENDED.

Under the laws of New South Wales and Tasmania it is compulsory for soap manufacturers to place on their goods a guarantee label. Other States, however, do not demand this.

Mr. Joseph Meek, managing director in Sydney of Lever Bros., soap manufacturers, made this statement yesterday to Dr. Ashburton Thompson, who, as a Royal Commissioner, is inquiring into the standardising of the States' laws as to foods and drugs.

"It is very awkward for us," said Mr. Meek, "to have to comply with these different Acts, and other States might come along soon and demand that we insert another kind of guarantee label for them. It is very desirable that a uniform standard should be established for these guarantee labels."

The suggestion that pastrycooks should be prohibited from using colouring matter in their cakes drew forth a protest from Mr. Charles Gilbert Abel, managing director of Abel and Company, pastrycooks, confectioners, and bread bakers. And this brought him to the question of using colouring with the eggs used for cakes. "We use a quantity of Adelaide eggs," he said, "and Adelaide eggs are very pale, so that colouring matter is essential." At present, under the New South Wales Act, they did not have to declare the presence of colouring matter in their cakes, and if they had to, the cost of doing so would be absolutely prohibitive. He used a quantity of margarine in his manufacture.

He mentioned that for Good Friday his company had made 300,000 buns. In the ordinary day's work of the company no less than a thousand dozen eggs a day were used. There were "pulped" eggs, and they had to be good, or they should not preserve.

William Cann, baker, of Newcastle, in his evidence defended the "moist" loaf against the "dry" loaf, saying the former contained better flour and yeast, yet the man who made the former might be fined because his loaf contained more than the regulation 45 parts per centum of water.

Albert B. Abel, manager of the Marrickville Margarine Company, said it would be a very advantageous thing to have a common standard for margarine for all the States.

Dr. Robert Hardman, biscuit manufacturer, who represented the New South Wales Biscuit Manufacturers' Association, said that if colouring matter were disallowed in wafers and ornamental icing the trade would suffer, for Australian manufacturers would be placed at a disadvantage in competing with English and American makers. No provision was made in the conference regulations for colouring matter.

The Commission adjourned till 10 o'clock to-morrow.

CHAMBER OF MANUFACTURES.

SYMPATHETIC PREMIER.

ADELAIDE, Monday.

The council of the Chamber of Manufactures waited on the Premier (Mr. Peake) as a deputation to-day, and submitted the resolutions of local interest passed at the eighth conference of associated chambers, held in Sydney recently.

The Premier, in reply, said he had considered the request that the matter of costs in connection with all work carried out by the Federal and State Governments should be thoroughly investigated, so that when giving reports on goods manufactured, or estimates for goods required, the actual and real costs might be discerned, and completely provided for when the Government departments competed with private enterprise. He agreed that in estimating profit and loss allowance should be made for the depreciation of plant and buildings, interest on capital invested, and other usual business charges. The Government had a system of bookkeeping designed which he thought would meet their wishes in regard to all Government tenders, and he sympathised with the desire for uniform company and insolvency laws. Trade and commerce required greater uniformity and a better distribution of holidays throughout the Commonwealth. The Cabinet had recently agreed to the appointment of Dr. Ashburton Thompson as commissioner to inquire into the unification of Pure Food Acts. The Government intended to prosecute to the fullest extent its policy of immigration. The greatest difficulty in this connection was the passages for those who were willing to come to Australia. In some instances all the space had been booked for two and three years ahead. At the last meeting of the Cabinet it had been decided not to favour the projected international exhibition. The Premier's reply was practically favourable to all requests made.

QUESTION OF IDENTITY.

MELBOURNE, Monday.

The Chief Justice to-day disposed of an action in which the executors of the will of Grace Henderson, late of Ballan, widow, sought to recover from the Bank of Australasia the proceeds of two deposit receipts for £932 and £216, and also the declaration that three other deposit receipts for £812, £2941, and £2914, moneys deposited by Grace Henderson in the name of "Mrs. Grace Birrell," were the property of the plaintiffs, as executors of Mrs. Henderson's will. No witnesses could be brought to swear that Mrs. Henderson was identical with Grace Birrell, but proof was adduced that immediately before her death Mrs. Henderson had the actual deposit receipts on her person and delivered them to her two daughters, and that deceased's maiden name was "Grace Birrell." Expert evidence was also given that the handwriting admittedly that of the depositor was identical with that of Mrs. Henderson.

For the defence it was stated that the bank merely desired the judgment of the Court for its own protection, and to ascertain to whom the moneys might with safety be paid. The Chief Justice said that he was satisfied on the evidence that "Grace Henderson" and "Grace Birrell" were one and the same person. There would be judgment for the plaintiffs as sought, the defendant bank to have its costs taxed as between party and party, with liberty to retain them out of the funds in its possession.

POLICE COURTS.

AMATEUR FISHERMEN FINED.

Mr. C. N. Payten, S.M., yesterday, at the Water Summons Court, imposed fines varying from 7s 6d to £1 upon 40 amateur fishermen, for catching undersized red bream and flathead, at George's River, Port Hacking, and other fishing resorts.

ASSAULT ON A BLIND MAN.

James Smith, a blind basket-maker, had an unenviable experience on Friday night last, when endeavouring to pacify a man who, he alleged, was abusing his wife. Smith lived at a house in Burnell-place, Woolloomooloo, and was there about 10.30 p.m. on Friday last. A man named James Joseph Derrick, who also resided there, was having some words with his wife, and Smith told him not to growl at her so much, as she had had a bad time while he (Derrick) was in gaol. Derrick rushed at him and struck him a violent blow in the eye, which was so injured that he was obliged to go to Sydney Hospital, where three stitches were inserted.

As a result James Joseph Derrick was charged yesterday morning, at the Water Police Court, before Mr. G. H. Smithers, S.M., with assaulting James Smith on April 12.

Accused denied the assault, and said that the injury to Smith's eye was caused by his falling against a table, and he called his wife to corroborate his statement.

The magistrate inflicted a fine of £3, or in default one month's imprisonment.

THEFT FROM THE LISTER HOSPITAL.

John Enright, 58, was charged yesterday, at the Water Police Court, before Mr. G. H. Smithers, S.M., with stealing a dressing-case and contents, valued in all at £5, the property of Mrs. George Massey Kirby, on April 13.

Nurse Hungerford, of the Lister Private Hospital, Darlinghurst, said that on Saturday last accused was employed cutting grass at the hospital, and had access to the storeroom, where the dressing-case was kept. It belonged to one of the patients, and was valued at £5.

Accused, who pleaded guilty, was sentenced to six months' imprisonment, with hard labour.

CHARGES OF THEFT.

George William Aird, 19, was charged at the Water Police Court, yesterday, before Mr. G. H. Smithers, S.M., with having on March 22 last stolen a leather case and its contents, valued in all at £4 4s, the property of Harry Wilson, a fellow lodger.

Accused, who reserved his defence, was committed for trial.

On a further charge of stealing a quantity of clothing, valued at £2 10s, the property of Carl Jacobson, on March 23 last, he was also committed for trial.

BREACH OF FACTORIES ACT.

Before Mr. C. N. Payten, S.M., yesterday, at the Water Summons Court, Sydney Beer, proprietor of a jewellery factory in Rowe-street, was proceeded against by Inspector Armitage, for not properly fencing his machinery so as to ensure the safety of his employees. Defendant was fined £3, with 4s costs, or in default a month's imprisonment.

CRUELTY TO HORSE.

At the Central Police Court yesterday, Joseph James Barlow, 21, a driver, was charged with cruelly ill-treating a horse and using indecent language. The evidence showed that Barlow began flogging one of his horses with the whip handle, and when spoken to by some persons used the language complained of. He was fined £3, or a month in each case, sentences to be cumulative.

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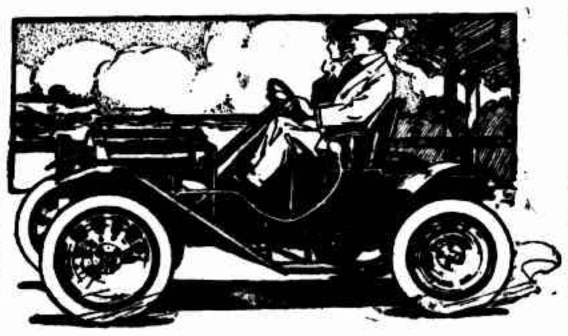

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BILLIARDS.

For the markers' tournament a large entry has been received. This event will be decided at Messrs. Heiron and Smith's billiard hall, Castlereagh-street. The games will be 500 up, and bonzoline balls will be used. F. Smith, sen., has been handicapped to owe 400, the nearest to him being his son, on the owes-100 mark. The limit man receives 300 start. Acceptances are due on Saturday next, and play will begin on April 29.

Amateurs are now practising assiduously for the State championship tournament, which will start in July. It is probable that Mr. H. Rumball will not defend the title, which he gained last year. The winner will be the representative of New South Wales at the Australasian championship meeting, which will commence in Melbourne on August 13. Queensland amateurs will next month hold their championship contest. Efforts will be made to send the winner to the Melbourne tournament.

Mr. H. Boyle, hon. secretary of the Amateur Billiard Association of New South Wales, has received a letter from H. W. Stevenson regarding the latter's world's tour with young George Gray. These players will start their exhibition games in South Africa, India being next on the list. They expect to reach Australia early next year.

Fred. Lindrum lost his 15,000 up match against Harverson, but the Australian performed creditably, being beaten only by 433. Lindrum is expected to return to Sydney about the end of May.

Williams and Weiss are now in the middle of their match of 14,000 up, which is being played at Alcock's parlours, George-street. The contest has been fairly even so far, Williams holding a slight lead. Up to the present nothing striking has occurred in the way of tall breaks.

Diggle and Harverson will play in Sydney at Messrs. Heiron and Smith's hall in June next. The game will be 16,000 up, and it is likely that Diggle will give his playing partner a start of 2000. Diggle, by defeating Reece, secured the title of world's champion. Stevenson did not play. He wrote to the Billiard Association to the effect that his health was not too good, and he would not compete. Subsequently he wished to defend his title, but the verdict was: "Too late; ye cannot enter now."

THE TURF.

THE AUTUMN CAMPAIGN AT RANDWICK.

The slow but sure policy adopted in the past by the Australian Jockey Club has come to its fruition by bringing that institution to the position of leading Australasia in the matter of prize money and the distribution thereof. The meeting which concluded last Saturday stands out as the best ever held at Randwick—the attendance formed a record, and the prize money easily was the greatest sum ever paid out at any meeting in Australasia, and the tendencies in both connections point to much larger increases in the near future. Catering liberally for the best horses, the sport throughout the campaign was of a very high-class character, and, though there was nothing to extend that great horse, Trafalgar, in the w.f.a. events in which he took part, the crowds that witnessed his performances applauded his prowess to the echo, while Malt King, who was the most doughty opponent that the son of Wallace met at the reunion, had his merits fully recognised.

The three-year-olds that did battle for the classic event of the autumn were not up to the standard of previous years. Wilari, who secured the Victorian blue ribbon of the spring and the red banner of the autumn at Flemington, had her full share of racing for the season before she crossed the Murray on this occasion, and she quite failed to show anything like the form she displayed at Flemington a month before. With the daughter of Wallace practically out of commission, Poseidon's younger brother, Jacamar, made some amends for his previous defeats in the classic races at Randwick and Flemington by capturing the St. Leger Stakes, in which the A.J.C. Derby winner, Cisco, had to be content with third place; while none of the three-year-olds was able to emulate the deeds of such horses as Fishhook, The Prophet, Speculation, Petrea, Progress, Cunnamulla, 'Frisco Carbine, Stromboli, Patroness, Wallace, Diffidence, San Fran, Lord Cardigan, and Trafalgar, who included the Sydney Cup among their three-year-old successes. Woolerina, when he scored in the Caulfield Guineas, last spring, appeared as though he would be one of the candidates to be reckoned with for the red ribbon at Randwick, but he was numbered among the absentees.

The form shown by the two-year-olds up to the present has been very mixed. The Traquair filly, Ventura, who auspiciously opened her racing career by winning the A.J.C. Breeders' Plate and Gimcrack Stakes in the spring, has not, in the meantime, earned a winning bracket. Golden Gauntlet, who was successful in the V.A.T.C. Debutant Stakes, could not pace it with Golden Brew in the V.R.C. Maribyrnong Plate; and Rathlea, who scored on two occasions in the spring at Flemington, has done nothing in the meantime, nor will he be called upon to race before the coming spring campaign. At the V.A.T.C. autumn meeting Wolawa flashed into the public eye as the winner of the Federal Stakes, and followed it up with the Alma Stakes on the same course; then he went to Flemington, and in the Sires' Produce Stakes suffered defeat by Sheriff Muir, who, with a 10lb penalty, could only get third to Wolawa and Tadanga in the Ascot Vale Stakes. Subsequently, Wolawa beat Tadanga in a private match for 500 sovs. a side. With all these honours fresh upon him the son of Wallace came across to Randwick and had an easy task to defeat Cider in the A.J.C. Sires' Produce Stakes, but again he failed under a penalty, and Cider turned the tables on him in the A.J.C. Champagne Stakes.

The only unpleasantness in connection with the reunion was in connection with the Victorian-owned horse Gunboat, whose running in the City Handicap was questioned by the stewards, who after hearing the evidence tendered, decided to take no further action, but the style in which he accounted for the opposition in the Place Handicap on the final day of the meeting fully justified the inquiry instituted with regard to the previous race. The racing was marred by the fatality which occurred in the First Nursery Handicap, but though the stewards have been inquiring into the matter, the cause of the accident by which young Matthews lost his life is still unaccounted for.

NOTES.

A feature of the racing at Randwick during the A.J.C. autumn campaign was the success of horses in whose veins run the stout strains of the Musket blood. Trafalgar stands out as the best representative of the famous son of Toxophilite, as the winner of the three richly-endowed w.f.a. events—the Autumn Stakes, Cumberland Stakes, and A.J.C. Plate—and he comes in the direct male line through those great individuals, Carbine and Wallace, who have earned high distinction on the turf and at the stud. Wolawa, a great-grandson of Musket, secured the Sires' Produce Stakes, and ran second to Cider in the Champagne; while Cider gets his Musket infusion through his granddam, Piecrust, a daughter of Martini-Henry. Lady Medallist, who played such a prominent part in the Doncaster Handicap, and to whom the honours of the race belong, gets her Musket strain through her dam Diploma, by Medallion, a grandson of Musket, while Kurnell, who filled third place behind Lochano, is a grandson, in the male line, to Musket. The dam of the St. Leger winner, Jacamar, is by Martini-Henry, by Musket; Ocean Blue, who escorted him home by by True Blue, and Cisco, who filled the other situation, combines the St. Simon—Musket blood, as his sire San Francisco, is by St. Simon, and his dam Lady Wallace, is by Carbine's best son. On the second day Loru, by imported Pistol (son of Carbine) opened the ball by annexing the Flying Handicap, while the trio that filled the places in the Champagne Stakes each has an infusion of the Musket blood—Cider through his dam, Praleen; Wolawa through Wallace, and Golden Hop through his dam Aurous, who claims Wallace as sire. True Spec, who captured the Tocal Handicap, is by True Blue (grandson of Musket); Zoeholme, the winner of the Second Hurdle Race, gets her infusion through her sire, Leeholme, who is by Haut Brion from Etra Weenie, by Trenton (son of Musket), and similarly Symetris, the winner of the Easter Stakes, gets her strain through her dam, Symmetry, by Trenton. Imported Eyeglass, who escorted Trafalgar home in the Cumberland Stakes, has his Musket infusion through his dam River Trent, by Trenton. On the final day Barlow, who was successful in the Rous Handicap, gets his share of Musket blood through his granddam Treason, by Trenton; Gunboat, who scored in the Place Handicap, gets his infusion through his sire Light Artillery, by Trenton; and Leta, who secured the Second Nursery Handicap, gets hers from her granddam, Drama, a daughter of Trenton. Thus it will be seen that the Musket blood still retains its potency, for the winners of 13 races were strongly infused with the strains.

Splash, an aged gelding, by the Australian-bred sire, Aurum, from Fast, won the Burton Handicap Hurdle Race, 2½m, at the Birmingham March meeting.

FIXTURES.

Ascot R.C., April 17.
Louth A.R.C., Apl. 18, 19.
Bathurst T.C., April 20, 22.
City Tattersall's, April 20.
Springreach A.T.C., April 20.
Maude J.C., April 22.
Illawarra R.C., April 23.
Brewarrina P.R.C., April 24.
Wellington J.C., April 24, 25.
Forbes Hosp Ben., April 26.
Upper Manning J.C., April 27.
Aberdeen A.R.C., April 27.
Wambanumba J.C., Apl. 27.
Lismore L.V., May 1.
Narrandera R.C., May 1, 2.
Wallerawang J.C., May 4.
Wombat J.C., May 8.
Janmain R.C., May 8.
Marthaguy P.R.C., May 8.
Barwon A.T.C., May 8, 9.
Germanton A.P.R.C., May 10.
Macquarie P.R.C. May 15, 16.
Darling River (Bourke), P.R.C., May 23.
Kembla Grange, May 28.
Kyogle J.C., May 29.
Nyngan J.C., May 30, 31.
Tingha Oddfellows', June 1, 3.
West Wyalong Oddfellows', June 5, 6.
Menindie J.C., June 12.

TROTTING AND PACING.

The Australian Trotting Club has received permission from the Government to hold a meeting on Victoria Park on 29th inst., in aid of the Lord Mayor's Fund for the relief of the poor in England. An excellent five-event programme has been prepared, entries for which close with the club's secretary on the 22nd inst.

The number of country visitors during Easter week accounted for the large attendance at the meeting of the Australian Trotting Club. Fine exhibitions of the trotting and pacing gaits were given, and the finishes in several of the races were particularly exciting. Owhyee has not been particularly successful in Australia as a sire, although he left some very fast trotters behind him in America. However, the speed shown by Owhy G. in the Encourage Handicap at Victoria Park is perhaps as much due to her dam as her sire, as the former, Julia G., is by Huon Junior from Julia (imp.), and thus full-sister to that great race mare Lady Julian. Owhy G. covered the nine furlongs in 2m 58s, which works out 2m 38s to the mile.

Ribbonite was made an even-money favourite for the Flying Mile. Valour was quickest away, and opened out a long lead coming into the straight, but Rock Huon, finishing with great gameness, just got up in time to win by a narrow margin in 2m 19s.

In the Progressive Handicap, 1m 1f, the country horse Luke was backed down to 7 to 4, Major Huon being at 2 to 1, whilst the ultimate winner, Nutwood, was not mentioned in the betting. The race requires little description, as Nutwood went to the front and stayed there, winning by two lengths. The winner is a very highly bred aged stallion, being by Leo from a dam by Bentwood.

Some remarkably fine trotters were included in the Unhoppled Handicap at Victoria Park, but betting was practically confined to Ohio and Junee, who went out at even money and 2 to 1 respectively. Junee and Ohio were together rounding into the turn, but something appeared to happen to Ohio, as he fell back, and Junee going on won by five lengths, in 3m 43⅕s. A protest on behalf of Ohio was dismissed. The winner is a smart 3-year-old square trotter, by Victory from Zeddie, the latter well known on Sydney tracks a few years back, when she raced in the colours of Mr. Arthur Horton. Ohio was conceding Junee 110 yards start, and when the pair came into the straight upsides it certainly looked a good thing for Mr. Hordern's colt.

For the Australian Trotting Club Handicap, 1½m, backers again pinned their faith to Ribbonite, who was made an even-money favourite, but, like his sire, Ribbonite appears to have developed a temper, and played up at the start, spoiling his chance. Ribbonite's driver was called before the stewards after the race, but his explanation regarding the horse's behaviour at the post was accepted. The finish was without doubt one of the finest yet seen on the course. Medlow Maid came down the straight all out, with Prince Ribbon in close attendance, and a magnificent finish ended in Medlow Maid winning by three-quarters of a length in 3m 31s. The winner is an aged mare, by Emulator from Estimate, owned by Mr. Mark Foy, and trained by J. E. Phair. Emulator started in the race, and the unusual sight was seen of a sire and an aged daughter both starting in a high-class handicap.

A controversy is now going on in the American sporting press as to the advantage or otherwise of using oil on a racing track, and although we have but one oiled track in Australia—that of the Royal Agricultural Society—the result has proved eminently satisfactory. There is an absence of dust, no matter how dry or how much racing takes place thereon, and although rain fell heavily there was no trace of moisture, and the track was in perfect order.

The final heat of the big trot and pace at the Royal Show brought together Don Tux (F. Batt), 3s beh.; Jim Mac (F. Johnston), 5s beh.; and Huon Hue (J. M'Millan), 9s beh. Jim Mac soon displaced Don Tux, but his advantage was short lived, as Huon Hue passed him after a round and a half had been covered, and, going on, Huon Hue won comfortably from Jim Mac in 2m 15s, which works out about 2m 22s to the mile. Huon blood was very much to the fore at the Royal Show, Huon Hue, by Huon Prince, by Huon, and Rock Huon, by Huon Junior, by Huon, fairly sweeping the board in all the high-class speed events.

POLO.

ADOPTION OF HURLINGHAM RULES.

THE DUDLEY CUP.

At the annual meeting of the New South Wales Polo Association, held recently, a most important matter came up for discussion—the question of adopting the rules of the Hurlingham Club, the governing body of the game in England.

It was the custom in England to play the "off-side" rule, but not so in America; therefore the English authorities, in order to compete in international matches against the American players, found it necessary to rescind the rule. In Australia "off-side" has been strictly enforced; but it was decided at the meeting referred to that it was desirable to fall into line with the Hurlingham Club.

This appears to be a good and progressive move; otherwise the Australians may in time be playing a game of polo altogether different from that of England, and, for sentimental reasons, that would be undesirable. Polo in England is in the hands of highly-paid managers, and an enormous amount of money is expended annually on the game. The managers and their large staffs of assistants make polo the pivot of their existence; and it is fair to assume that they are capable of wise legislation for the welfare of the game. Apart, therefore, from sentiment, it may be said that the New South Wales Association has done the proper thing in adopting the rules of the governing body. There is another point in favour of the association's action. If approached, there is no doubt that the Hurlingham Club will give Australia some representation, or at least will be glad to know the views of Australian polo associations. This, however, could not be hoped for if the game here is conducted on lines opposed to headquarters.

Australia has successfully sent representatives of various branches of sport to the old country—why not a polo team? The writer, in conversation with a prominent New South Wales player, who has some knowledge of the game in England, asked how the Australian ponies compared with the English mounts, and was informed that the local material compared most favourably. "In fact," said the gentleman, "during a season in England the best of the ponies were Australian bred; but even they were not equal to some now in training here." That being so, there appears to be nothing in the way of organising a team to visit England, as Australia possesses some very able players.

The association has also had the Dudley Cup carnival under consideration, and definitely fixed June 24 as the opening day. This is the most important polo fixture in the State; and this year's struggle for supremacy, and right to hold the coveted trophy, promises to be even more strenuous than heretofore. The Muswellbrook team—last year's winners—are determined to put up a great fight; indeed, thus early in the season they have expressed confidence of success.

NOTES.

His Excellency Lord Denman, who has been frequently out with the Sydney clubmen, intends taking a team to Muswellbrook on May 14. His Excellency plays a first-rate game, is a brilliant "hit," and his enthusiasm has delighted the local players. Captain Nutting, A.D.C., has accompanied the Governor-General to the practice ground at Kensington, and shows every promise of developing into a first-class player.

It was intended to send a Sydney team southward this month; but it is understood some difficulty has arisen, and the visit may be postponed.

Polo, to the average onlooker, appears "easy enough, when one knows the game;" but some idea of what is required before one becomes or is recognised as a first-class player may be gleaned from the following statement. The revised list of the Hurlingham handicaps for the current year contain the ratings of no fewer than 1399 players; but of that number only nine players (including the brilliant American Meadow Brook team) are at the top of the list with the maximum 10 points!

Enthusiasts will regret that according to the latest American files there is very little chance for international polo this season. The secretary of the American Association states that despite the tentative challenge or intimation that an English team would again do battle for the Westminster Polo Club Cup, nothing further had been done; and that indications pointed to the matter being deferred until 1913.

GOLF.

INTERCLUB MATCHES.

SECOND ROUND.

The second round of interclub matches has been played, and the metropolitan clubs have still an unbeaten record. The Australian Club, however, had the closest of calls in its engagement with Manly, only winning by the narrowest margin. Neither club was represented by its strongest team, the A.G.C. being without the services of C. L. Mackenzie and E. J. B. Macarthur, while L. Tenbosch and L. R. Oswald Sealy were absentees from Manly. Tenbosch was out of Sydney, but Sealy's absence is unexplained. Had they been playing, Manly would probably have had the distinction of being the first suburban club to beat a metropolitan team.

Royal Sydney played all over Killara at Rose Bay, where the strong wind and unaccustomed conditions, to say nothing of the brilliant play of several of the Royal Sydney team, proved too much for the suburbanites, who only won one match and lost 8.

At Bonnie Doon the local players proved too strong for a weakened Concord nine, and won comfortably by six matches to three.

There has been some little dissatisfaction among members of several of the suburban clubs, who hold that the introduction of the metropolitan clubs into the competition has robbed the matches of much of the interest they formerly commanded. There is some truth in this, for unquestionably each of the two metropolitan clubs is able to place in the field a considerably stronger team than any of the suburban clubs; and this season's draw is, in addition, very favourable to Royal Sydney and Australian, who not only have each three matches at home to two away, but meet the strongest suburban clubs at home. But, while the chances of success are largely with these two clubs, the suburban players have the advantage of playing on links considerably better than their own, and the fact that they are meeting players stronger than themselves should tend to improve their play and spur them on to greater efforts. The fact that Manly almost won out against Australian on Saturday is sufficient to show that the stronger suburban teams have at least a fighting chance.

MANLY v AUSTRALIAN.

In the absence of L. Tenbosch and L. R. Oswald Sealy, T. Tombleson led the Manly side in opposition to O. H. O'Brien. The latter was in his usual good form, and quickly established a lead, standing 5 up at the turn. This advantage he retained to the finish, winning by 5 and 3. O'Brien played very well throughout, and was particularly deadly on the greens, where he rarely missed a putt within reasonable distance, and ran down several very long ones. Tombleson was weak from the tees, and his approaches were not as good as usual.

P. F. S. Spence (M.) covered himself with glory by winning a good match against E. L. Apperly, who could not excuse himself on the lack of local knowledge. Spence was in excellent form, and, going out in 40, was 2 up at the turn. Apperly more than held his own over the next few holes, and at the 14th Spence was only 1 up. He then holed the 15th, 16th, and 17th each in 3 by brilliant golf, winning the match 3 up and 2. He was back in 37. Apperly did not play his usual game.

O. H. Wines (M.) made a good bid for a win against N. F. Christoe (A.), but found the latter a little too strong. Both men played steady golf, and there was never much between them. Christoe won 2 up and 1.

G. T. Balcombe (A.) played sound golf against D. G. Ferrier (M.), and won, 3 and 2. Going out there was not much to choose, Balcombe being 1 up at the 9th. He moved ahead by winning two of the next 3 holes, and retained his lead to the finish. Ferrier was not driving well, but was in good form on the greens.

A. L. Potter (M.) and T. Smith (A.) had a closely-contested match, in which the latter triumphed only in the closing stages. They were all square at the turn, when Potter won two holes, and stood 2 up at the 12th. Here Smith asserted himself, and by good play, assisted by weak putting on the part of his opponent, won the next 4 holes, finally winning the match, 2 up and 1.

A. W. H. Padfield (A.) seemed a little out of practice, and went down before H. P. Wynne, who made his first appearance in the Manly team. W. A. Windeyer (A.) also was not in anything like his best form, and W. R. Opie, a young player with a good style, beat him comfortably, 5 up and 3. A. Wilson (A.) won the first 6 holes from A. Mills, but thereafter the latter held the upper hand, though he could not ward off defeat by 2 and 1. E. Duret, Manly's popular secretary, filled a gap, and filled it very well, defeating Dr. H. Terrey, who so far this season has been playing very well, by 4 and 3. It was an excellent win on Duret's part.

BONNIE DOON v CONCORD.

Concord found in the strong southerly wind and the buffalo grass approaches at Bonnie Doon circumstances which helped towards the downfall of its team. R. B. Godbolt, who led off for Concord, was much bothered by the buffalo grass, which prevented his pitched approaches reaching the green. Dr. P. Sydney Jones, who opposed him, was more successful, and accurately pitched on to the greens. Jones was 2 up at the 9th, and was in excellent form. Both players had several threes, and play generally was of very fair standard, Jones' being particularly good. Jones was 4 up and 2. Godbolt won the last two holes, but the match was then over.

W. B. Fairfax (C.) won a good match against H. W. M'Lelland (B.A.), in which several interesting discussions took place on questions of rules. Fairfax was playing well, and driving a very long ball. He held the upper hand throughout, and won 3 up and 2. Dr. Gordon Craig (B.D.) and J. M. Arnott (C.) were both in good form, especially in the long game, the former winning the match by his superior approaching. Arnott was 2 up at the 6th, but Craig had a run of successes, and was 2 up at the 13th and 1 up at the 16th. He won the 17th and the match, 2 up and 1. Craig had a number of threes on his card as a result of his fine approaches.

J. Kell (B.D.) played a steady game, making few mistakes. C. M. Garrard was a disappointment to Concord, as, being an old Bonnie Doon player, he was expected to do well. Kell beat him, 4 up and 3. A. Orr (C.) was in very good form, and was 4 up on L. W. Mogg at the 9th. Coming home, the latter gained a lot of ground by excellent putting, but could not prevent the Concord skipper winning a creditable match by the odd hole. F. D. Layton (C.) found J. Rowley off his game, and had an easy win by 5 and 3. Layton played a steady game, and did not throw away any chances. R. Aitken (B.D.) overwhelmed W. H. Cowper, who was short of practice, winning 7 and 6. W. J. Gunning and W. Allen were in the Concord team as stop-gaps, and both did very well, as they are not even B grade players. Gunning, who went in at the last moment, did particularly well to be down to L. J. Berckelman only 3 and 2, and W. Allen has no reason to be ashamed of his performance, as E. N. Rowley is accounted a strong player at Bonnie Doon.

ROYAL SYDNEY v KILLARA.

This was a very one-sided match, Killara being quite outclassed. W. S. Laidley (R.S.) and H. N. Giblin (K.) led off for their respective sides, and although the golf was not particularly good, a very even game resulted. Giblin was never ahead, while Laidley at times got as far as 2 up, only to be brought back again to square. Laidley was 1 up at the turn, and the position was all square at the 16th. At the 17th Giblin played a bad second shot, finding the ditch, and Laidley became 1 up. At the 18th Giblin got a poor drive, but a good 2nd put him on the edge of the green. Two good shots by Laidley put him about 6ft from the pin, and Giblin had to try for a 3, but overran the hole and missed the return putt. Laidley took 4 and won the match, 2 up.

E. P. Simpson (R.S.) and E. Springthorpe (K.) played in and out golf. The first two holes were halved, Springthorpe taking 3 putts on each green. Simpson won the 3rd and 5th, Springthorpe taking 1 short 6th with a well-played 2 to 3 by his opponent. Losing the 7th Springthorpe was 2 down at the turn and 3 down at the 12th. He won the 13th and missed a chance at the next hole by taking 3 putts. Springthorpe won the 15th in 4, and, the 16th being halved, he was 1 down with 2 to play. At the 17th, two perfect shots laid his ball dead, and he won the hole in 3. At the last hole Simpson drove into the rough and failed to get up with his second, Springthorpe winning in 4, and securing the only victory for Killara by a fine finish.

R. Colquhoun (K.) played very well for the first half of the journey, and was 2 up on C. H. Reading at the 10th. At the 2nd hole Reading, after pulling two balls out of bounds, made a good recovery, laying his 5th near the pin and putting out. Colquhoun pulled his 2nd into very thick grass, and was on the green in 4, but took 3 putts. Coming home, Colquhoun developed a hook in his drive, and Reading, playing steadily, caught and passed him, winning a good match 3 and 2.

J. S. Marks (R.S.) carried too many guns for W. Andrew, for, though the latter won the first two holes, Marks developed a brilliant patch of golf, and thereafter had no fewer than 6 threes on his card, winning easily by 6 and 4.

H. A. Howden (R.S.) started badly by taking 22 for the first four holes, and was then 2 down to W. P. Maschwitz. At the end, however, Howden's card worked out at 1 up on bogey from scratch, though he lost the first four holes—evidence that his golf from that point was of a very high standard. He beat Maschwitz 7 up and 6.

R. E. Bailey (R.S.) and W. T. Macpherson had a good match, the former winning 3 and 2. He owed much of his success to good putting.

C. W. Rundle (R.S.) was driving and approaching excellently, and F. Amphlett had no chance with him. H. M. Stephen (R.S.) inflicted a heavy defeat on C. E. Graham by 6 and 5, the play not being of a high standard.

W. W. Lyon (K.) made a creditable first appearance with the A team and was only beaten by E. M. Stephen by 2 and 1.

The B grade matches provided comfortable wins by Killara and Dobroyde over Concord and Bonnie Doon respectively, but Manly only just won against Drummoyne by one match.

FIXTURES.

SATURDAY, APRIL 20.

Australian Golf Club.—No fixture.
Bonnie Doon Golf Club.—Bogey match.
Cammeray Golf Club.—Mixed foursomes.
Concord Golf Club.—Mixed foursomes, short course.
Dobroyde Golf Club.—Four-ball, best ball, bogey competition.
Drummoyne Golf Club.—Mixed foursomes.
Killara Golf Club.—Bogey handicap.
Manly Golf Club.—Autumn bogey handicap.
Parramatta Golf Club.—April stakes, bogey handicap.
Royal Sydney Golf Club.—Bogey handicap, for Mr. M. B. Halligan's trophy.

BOWLING.

THE RECENT CARNIVAL.

RANDOM REFLECTIONS.

Another Easter has gone to join its fellows in the dim recesses of Time's capacious cavern, and we are left to ruminate over the surprises, successes, disappointments, and lessons of a busy week. Our country cousins, this year for the first time in honourable league with us, our rivals from Queensland and Victoria, have all returned to their various homes with pleasant recollections, let us hope, of the Easter of 1912. We found the same good fellows, the same fine players, and the same good sportsmen as we are wont to meet; and, perhaps, above all the competition and rivalry, the majority of bowlers will rate as of paramount importance the pleasure of old friendships renewed and of new ones made.

The important factor of weather was eminently favourable, just one little breaking out of hand on the Tuesday afternoon, which after all did not matter much, since the Victorians were already victorious, and the Queenslanders were enabled to complete a memorable game on the following morning.

Varying as were the fortunes, naturally, where such a number of contestants took part, it appeared the work and anxiety of our association officials were well rewarded in the ultimate issue of events. Where excellence of management enables matters to run smoothly, the worry of detail appears minimised, the ordinary spectator or player knows little of the unconsidered trifles that go to make the sum of a work of magnitude. Therefore, perhaps the freedom from error or misadventure is the best testimony that the president, secretary, and management committee can have of complete success.

The culminating point of the excellent week was reached on Friday, when bowls were laid aside, and players from far and near partook of the hospitality of Mr. John Spence. The number of similar bowling functions is legion, but it would be difficult to recall one which exceeded this in the favour of its surrounding auspices. Many of those present will doubtless return often in thought to various incidents and phases of a day so complete in its natural perfection that even those most familiar with the beauties of Sydney's setting found fresh delights to ponder over, new charms to admire. It was the most natural thing in the world that discussion of the week's play should be indulged in by the various little knots and groups of enthusiasts. The uppermost item was the success of the Victorians, unexpected alike by themselves and opponents. Various solutions by competent authors were advanced, differing so widely in their ideas that after an ocean of argument one seemed to be left at the close with simply the unalterable fact that a side, poorly representative of Victoria, defeated a selected side of New South Wales. One Victorian thought that the win was due to better play among the back division, another that the Victorians studied position and tactics better, while another thought that the visitors were very lucky, and that the same result would not occur if contested a dozen times over. A hazard was made by a prominent player on the losing side to the effect that New South Wales was always lulled to a sense of false security by the oft-repeated report of a weak side of visitors, that consequently matters were taken too easily, with disastrous results. But no more satisfactory conclusion was advanced than the theory that Victorians are better match players, trained by constant competition play to get the best out of themselves. No doubt some of the lead and second positions were filled by players below the best interstate form, and Victorians would be the first to deny that the whole of the other places were occupied by representative skips and thirds. But that the "back" division was relatively stronger than the "front" all will agree.

The difference in the bias of the Victorian and local wood did not escape observation, and discussion. Many prominent players consider that when the Victorian bowls have to conform to the same test as New South Wales, there will not be the same discrepancy in results; but that remains to be seen.

INTERSTATE RINK RECORDS.

Captain.	Won.	Lost.	Points. For.	Points. Agst.
Cox (N.S.W.)	3	—	83	50
Walter (N.S.W.)	3	—	72	58
Anderson (N.S.W.)	2	1	75	47
Shaw (Vic.)	2	1	68	56
Pascoe (Vic.)	2	1	64	62
Reeder (N.S.W.)	2	1	56	52
Gartrell (N.S.W.)	2	1	71	67
Gould (Q.)	2	1	61	71
Orchard (Q.)	1	1	43	46
Reid (Q.)	1	2	61	67
Morris (N.S.W.)	1	2	67	68
Morrison (Vic.)	1	2	64	60
Harris (N.S.W.)	1	2	62	64
Donald (N.S.W.)	1	2	58	74
Rankin (Q.)	—	1	14	29
Wright (Vic.)	—	2	33	70
Bouchard (Q.)	—	3	50	83

If one captain more than another was entitled to the position in the interstate games by reason of successful current form as evidenced by records, it was Cox; and on the figures scored in those games no other justified his appointment to the responsible post more clearly. In the season's competition matches, Cox's record is:—

Matches	Won.	Lost.	Points. For.	Points. Agst.
Pennant	7	1	223	157
Tasmania	4	2	131	123
Queensland	3	—	83	50
Total	14	3	437	330

THE PENNANT.

PETERSHAM VICTORIOUS.

Of all the association competitions, whether club, rink, pair, or singles, the "Pennant," which carries with it the title of "champion club" of the season, is most coveted, and most strenuously sought for. After a struggle worthy of such an important event as the final, the Petersham Club have once more come out on top. The settlement of the title occupied exactly three months, as the opening day was January 13, and the closing day April 13. In the circumstances there was bound to be an unlucky wight, and it turned out to be Mosman. Petersham have succeeded to the title three times, first in 1902-3, then in 1909-10, and on the present occasion. During the present campaign they have achieved the distinction of being the only unbeaten club of all the entrants, of whom there were 21 in the metropolis and 8 in the Newcastle district. In the Western metropolitan district they first of all beat Burwood twice and Ashfield twice, the second match against the latter club being memorable for its exciting character. Like the final, it was won by a single point, the figures on the first occasion being 96 to 95, and on the last occasion 94 to 93. Seven matches in all were played, Parramatta and Balmain falling easy prey prior to the splendid struggle with Mosman on Saturday. Petersham scored 714 points against 610, won in 18 rinks, lost in 7, and tied in 3. None of their captains' records stand out from their companions in marked degree, as is noticeable very often in the case of other clubs. An all-round evenness appears in the figures quoted below. In the cases of Harber and Lawson only are no losses recorded, but those two skips came in only in the last two games. On these occasions they rendered splendid service, and by their excellent play minimised greatly the loss of Strong and Yeo. Cropper had a fine season, opening with a small loss and winding up with a big one, but scoring a succession of five excellent wins in between.

Certain clubs stand out among their fellows on the association as essentially keen competition units, that is to say, they do not appear to enter for the various events of the yearly programme in a perfunctory way, but strain every nerve and do their level best to win. The spirit is manifest in their play—every man a trier, and every ball pregnant with hostility to the opposing side. Petersham is, and always has been, one of these clubs, and Waverley, Chatswood, Mosman, Warringah, and Victoria Park, for example, have more or less claim to be included in the same category. When the sweets of victory come their way, it is all the better appreciated for being well-earned, and Petersham deserve the heartiest congratulations of every club for their splendid success this season.

Mosman have not yet won the pennant, their previous nearest approach being in 1906-7, when they ran up to Ashfield. The event has been a remarkable one for them, for they played 10 matches in all, a greater number than any other club in the competition. This was partly accounted for by the extraordinary position created in section B of the Northern Metropolitan district, when Manly, Warringah, and Mosman were all on a par after six Saturdays' play. After looking to be out of the hunt, owing to two losses in the first three engagements, Mosman scored a grand run of victories, which continued up till Saturday last, when they were beaten, as all the bowling world now knows, by a single point. Their success would have been greeted with delight, for the simple reason that it would have been their maiden victory in the great event, just as Chatswood's win over Randwick was received last year. However, their turn will doubtless come.

Seven matches were won and three lost, 937 points were scored by them as against 785, a majority of 212. Mosman won in 26 rinks, lost in 11, and tied in 3. Of the skippers, Woodhouse achieved a noteworthy record, and was undefeated. Taking charge of a rink at the fourth match, substantial margins marked his progress till the final game, when he had to rest content with a tie against Lawson. His surplus was 98 points, or an average of exactly 14 per match. Freeman and Walters have also done splendidly, and their figures speak for themselves, while Colquhoun has handled his rink with praiseworthy unselfishness.

PETERSHAM CLUB—PREMIERS.

Captain.	Won.	Lost.	Tied.	Points. For.	Points. Agst.
Harber	2	—	—	62	39
Yeo	3	1	1	127	107
Cropper	5	2	—	169	153
Strong	3	2	—	115	117
O'Neill	4	2	1	189	149
Lawson	1	—	1	49	45

MOSMAN CLUB—RUNNERS UP.

Captain.	Won.	Lost.	Tied.	Points. For.	Points. Agst.
Woodhouse	6	—	1	208	110
Freeman	7	3	—	240	201
Walters	6	3	1	257	184
Colquhoun	5	4	1	232	221
Gelding	2	1	—	60	62

UNDEFEATED SKIPPERS.

During the series of pennant matches in Newcastle and Sydney, 167 captains in all were tried, 64 in Newcastle, and 103 in Sydney. Subjoined is a complete list of those who remained undefeated after skipping in three or more matches. On various occasions it has been made a subject of remark that a player of Spohn's capabilities, both as regards his own bowling and his knowledge as a captain, should be entirely overlooked season after season.

Captain.	Club.	Wins.	Ties.	Points. For.	Points. Agst.
Spohn	Randwick	6	—	217	112
Woodhouse	Mosman	6	1	208	110
Donald	Hamilton	6	—	202	108
Denyer	Warringah	5	—	134	102
Thorne	Victoria Pk.	5	—	132	111

THE PENNANT FINAL.

With a green fast enough to please the most fastidious in that respect, and a cold wind veering between west and south blowing fitful gusts across the somewhat exposed surface at Cook Park, the players in the most important of the whole year's club contests found accurate bowling no easy matter.

A fine crowd assembled to see the game, and the general anticipations of an even and well-contested battle were realised to the full. It was generally accepted that there was not much separating the teams, but the game is so full of luck, and Dame Fortune is so partial in her attention at times, that very often wide discrepancies bear false witness to relative capabilities. The most striking commentary on the closeness of this match is contained in the fact that the issue hung in the balance while the very last bowl was on its way between mat and jack. The reflection that one bowl carries the destiny of a game in its movements is amazing when one considers that 1600 deliveries are executed, exclusive of dead ends, in the course of a 25-head match of four rinks.

Freeman and Cropper played a very even-scoring game as far as the eleventh head, when the card read 12-10 in favour of the former. Included in that was a "six" at the tenth, but Mosman scored heavily subsequently with a brace of fours and a brace of threes. At the sixth end each side had a toucher, and the head was declared a tie, otherwise Mosman scored in 13, and Petersham in 11 ends. The difference in the totals, 31-17, was due to the modesty of the Petersham contributions, and the liberal helpings of the other side. Simpson and Oram were both fair as leaders, and had an even contest, but Booth played those heavy woods of his splendidly on the Mosman behalf. It was a day where weight was an asset. Evans, Smith, and Cropper played moderately, but Freeman was in magnificent form after his interstate efforts.

Lawson and Woodhouse skipped two even rinks, and honors were easy at call of time. With the exception that Barnes was a trifle below form, play throughout was of good average character, Morgan putting in some serviceable shots for Petersham, who succeeded in 14 heads as against eleven. Each of the last two ends returned three points to the Westerners, and they came in very handy indeed at the finish.

Between the leaders in the next rink there was not much preference, and both played as well as could be expected on the day. Doutty had a slight call over Davis, but Cann invariably rectified matters, and was a little more consistent than Johnson throughout. Walters and O'Neill were alike excellent, and though the latter scored in fourteen ends as against eleven, the figures were against him—24-20. At the twentieth the card read 17 all, but "4" in the twenty-second and "3" in the twenty-fourth turned the scale in favour of Walters, who also benefited by the unusual luxury of a "6" at the seventh end.

So far Mosman were all right. Their downfall came in the Harber versus Colquhoun duel, and although perhaps luck was rather consistently against Mosman, still the Petersham men had the call decidedly on the merits of the day's play. These teams played on the rink nearest the street, and had, if anything, worse treatment from the wind than the others. In the circumstances, consistently good bowling was hardly to be expected, and Moore, who has been leading excellently of late weeks, had an off day. Smith, his vis-a-vis, was in fair form, and perhaps Hill and Gay showed no marked difference, nor the thirds, but the game par excellence of the day was undoubtedly played by Harber. Whether on the "draw," the "drive," or the "block," this keen veteran was monotonously successful, and it is very largely due to his sup. b efforts that Petersham owe their victory. Mosman scored in seven heads only.

When the other three rinks had finished, and Colquhoun had his last bowl to deliver, Petersham were two "up" on the grand aggregate, Mosman lay 1, and in the endeavour to get rid of Petersham's second wood, Colquhoun's drive met with an obstructing front bowl, but there was a general alteration, out of which Mosman still lay one only.

The end was exciting, and remindful of the finish of twelve months ago between Chatswood and Randwick, when the former won by two points. Although the totals were so close there was an undue preponderance of ends in favour of Petersham, no fewer than 57 finishing in their favour, against 42 in favour of Mosman.

SWIMMING.

PROPOSED VISIT OF ENGLISH PROFESSIONAL.

Wintry conditions existed on Saturday, and served to remind the few clubs that had delayed their closing fixtures that April is too late for this purpose. However, although the wind was severe, the water was of a pleasant temperature, and the races were well attended and splendidly contested. Rose Bay and Drummoyne, two progressive clubs that have given their members comprehensive programmes, definitely concluded their season's work. To the first club has gone the Hagon shield for 12 months, owing to its members having secured most points in the State championships. Much headway has also been made by its distance swimmers, a result almost wholly due to the encouragement given by the club in this direction by holding several long races.

The Drummoyne Club never had a better year, which has been particularly noteworthy by reason of its win of the A grade polo premiership in its first year of entry—a record in this branch of the sport. The running of a club polo competition also places it in line with the premiers (Sydney), as the only two clubs that have accomplished this in Australasia, and possibly in the world, as no record can be discovered of a similar happening elsewhere.

Rose Bay held a 100yds handicap, which was won by the fast-improving R. Longworth in 1m 6 2-5s. It is forecasted in many quarters that in a few years' time the winner will rival his brother's achievements. Drummoyne carried out a 66yds handicap and a consolation race, which went to R. Roberts and F. Williams respectively, whilst the diving championship of the club was won by H. Christiansen.

Lane Cove Club, the youngest body in the association, also closed its season with 450yds handicap, 100yds brace relay, and a consolation race. The winners were respectively G. Mackie, F. M'Laughlin, V. Collinson, and J. Gilroy, whilst the point score for the season went to Frederick Kopp.

Among the ladies' association clubs only Sydney was busy, but Rechabites' Ladies' Club, an unaffiliated body, also held some races. The first named concluded a particularly busy year with a consolation race, which was won by Miss A. Cobbin. The season's point score went to Miss Mina Wylie by a big margin, Miss B. Lovelace being 22 points away second. Miss Wylie has had a most successful season, and has only been outclassed when opposed by the phenomenal Miss Fanny Durack in the free style races and diving. At breast-stroke work she has almost held her own, and in the back-stroke race she won from Misses Farmer, Grover, Robertson, Durack, and Kerr, a most formidable opposition. The brilliant young Sydney Club swimmer thus gained her first win of the season in a scratch race when opposed to Miss Durack, although she has shown some fine swimming throughout.

Rechabites' Ladies' held a series of five races, the most important being the championship over 66yds, which was secured by Miss E. Drake.

During the week the League officially brought its season to a close by holding the 100yds State and 200yds ladies' teams championships at Lavender Bay Baths. The lateness of the season was responsible for the lack of interest, as only three—C. Lawes, D. Brown, and C. Lovelace—faced the starter in the first race, whilst only one team appeared for the ladies' event. Lawes won comfortably in 62 1-5s, and Randwick and Coogee team—Misses Hooper, Tate, Wheeler, and Hayes—had a swim over, doing the 200yds in the very good time of 2m 24s.

Miss Fanny Durack left Sydney on Monday by the Armand Behic for Stockholm, via London. A large gathering farewelled the champion, who has done so remarkably well this season, and is expected to repeat her performances in the world's championships at the Olympic Games. She is accompanied by her sister.

At the last meeting of the executive of the Amateur Swimming Union of Australia Messrs. E. S. Marks and A. C. W. Hill were appointed to represent Australia at the next meeting of the International Amateur Swimming Federation which will be held during the Olympic Games at Stockholm. Both gentlemen are from this State, and occupy the position of chairman and hon. secretary respectively of the senior association, so that in securing the services of two such able advocates, so thoroughly in touch with the sport, the union must be considered as very fortunate, as the next meeting of the federation will deal with a number of matters of great import to swimmers in the Commonwealth.

One of the most pleasing features of a record season has been the number of social fixtures held by the leading clubs. Sydney held two very successful dinners; Rose Bay carried out a similar function to farewell champion Longworth, and last Saturday night Randwick and Coogee members gathered in great numbers to do honour to Sam Smith, who has shown wonderful improvement this season. The compliment was richly deserved. The occasion also served as an excellent inducement for the clubs' swimmers to come together in a social way, which, after all, fosters the right feeling, and which if neglected makes the body merely a swimming organisation, and not a club in the true sense of the word.

W. Longworth will leave Sydney to-night, and will travel overland to Adelaide, where he will join the Osterley. Australasia pins its faith on the repetition by the Rose Bay star of his exceptional performances of this season in State and Australian championships. With seven weeks in Stockholm prior to the first race, he should be able to reach his best form, and, if so, it seems more than probable that he will have an excellent chance of achieving success, although the opposition will be drawn from all parts of the globe.

The League committee has under consideration the matter of carrying out a scheme of regular distance swimming next season, and, no doubt, the advocacy of such a course in these columns has brought home the importance of such action. It is gratifying to know that swimmers other than sprinters are likely to receive encouragement, and it is hoped that the scheme will be gone on with. A promise to present a cup for competition has already been received from a supporter of the professionals, and in next season's programme several long races should be included.

Negotiations have begun between the League and some English professionals for a tour of Australasia. Messrs. Quinlan and McGrath, who were in England with the League Footballers, had interviews with some of the Englishmen in this connection; but were considerably hampered by there being no professional body in existence. In fact, New South Wales is the only place in the world where professional swimming is governed on a representative basis. In South Australia, Mr. C. Bastard, the local bath lessee, is in charge of the professional side of the sport, and the two States named are the only ones in the Commonwealth where the cash swimmer is catered for. An effort was made in England recently to form a professional association; but it fell through, and, apart from an occasional challenge race professional swimming is practically limited to exhibition turns by troupes at the amateur clubs' galas. David Billington, the ex-amateur, is the top-notcher, and would, no doubt, prove a big attraction when opposed to Oscar Dickman over the half-mile and mile; but the Bacup champion has been to Australia on a visit, and is not likely to come again without a substantial guarantee. However, if the local organisation could secure a visit from a really good performer, it would undoubtedly help the sport; but a second-rater would cost a considerable sum which is hardly likely to be recouped. The enterprise of the League, however, is commendable, and if it meets with success in the selection of the visitor, should certainly help to place that body on a much sounder footing.

Ex-champion amateur Frank de Beaurepaire is in Sydney at present enjoying a holiday after a strenuous season's work in connection with his duties as instructor and organiser of school swimming in Victoria.

CRICKET.

ELEVENTH ROUND CONCLUDED

INTEREST WELL SUSTAINED.

After the numerous cricketing incursions to the country of the Easter holidays, the game usually tends to lose much of its snap. Players are more inclined tha[n] formerly to adopt perfunctory methods of practice, and, with football making its appearance over the sportsman's horizon, cricket interest generally is apt to languish. Not so this season. Owing to the close competition for the first grade premiership honours, considerable general interest was manifested in last Saturday's play, and the character of the cricket displayed was well worthy of the occasion and the interest taken in it. The three matches in which the three leading teams—North Sydney, University, and Redfern—participated, of course, carried special interest. All three teams were seen to great advantage in their efforts to gather in as many competition points as possible, Redfern in particular making a brave effort to snatch a three-points win and gain a point on its two adversaries. The general features of these games have already been detailed in Monday's "Herald," so reference now will only be made to one or two special points in each.

SATURDAY'S SPIRITED DISPLAYS.

In the first place it is interesting to note what can be done in the way of rapid scoring when the spirit of hurry and hustle pervades a whole team. The two teams to whom the making of runs quickly on Saturday was of paramount importance were North Sydney and Redfern, and the extent to which they succeeded may be gauged from the very rapid scoring rates achieved—6.25 runs per over and 5.56 runs per over respectively. That of North Sydney is one of the fastest of the season. Of the other teams batting to any extent on Saturday, it will be seen from the appended table that those where competition interest mainly centred scored quickest, whilst the others with no such interest attaching to their results scored much more sedately:—

			Runs, per over.
Burwood	against	Redfern	4.6
University	against	Paddington	4.6
Balmain	against	C. Cumberland	4.5
Waverley	against	Petersham	3.7
Midd. Harbour	against	Glebe	4.1

The number of overs bowled during the afternoon in the three principal matches, besides being almost identical—67 at the Sydney Cricket Ground, 66.2 at Redfern, and 62.4 at North Sydney—easily exceeded those delivered in the other games—59 at Birchgrove, 57 at Sydney Cricket Ground No. 2, and 51.4 at Glebe.

HOW NORTH SYDNEY WON.

Of the three leading teams North Sydney, perhaps, was helped to victory less by the bad weather of the first Saturday than the other two. The winning factor in the game was the bowling of Dr. Hordern, another splendid illustration of how dangerous the well-bowled "googlie" can be on occasions. At 10 minutes to 3 on Saturday Gordon had 160 runs on the board for five wickets; the pitch was perfect, and the batsmen were scoring freely. Dr. Hordern at this stage had bowled five overs for 16 runs and no wickets, and North Sydney supporters were becoming very anxious, for a drawn match appeared almost a certainty. At 4.30 North Sydney had won the game—an extraordinary result under the circumstances. These facts are mentioned in order to emphasise again the dominating part which Dr. Hordern's bowling played in the final result. At the crucial moment the "googlie" champion sent along a number of his "puzzlers," all in a bunch, so that in the course of his last eight balls he dismissed four of those five Gordon wickets. All four wickets were secured with "googlies," one clean bowled, two lbw, and one caught round the batsman's legs by the wicket-keeper—a clever piece of work by Long. That bit of bowling success put North Sydney in the winning position; it converted a very strong improbability into practical certainty. Good batting did the rest.

HILL, THRICE TOP-SCORER.

Hill is to be specially commended for his fine century innings; it stood out conspicuously even amongst some really good class batting. The ex-South Australian has proved himself a great acquisition to the batting strength of the North Sydney team. So far he has top scored on each of the three occasions on which he has gone to the wickets. His style is strikingly reminiscent of brother Clem's. He stands with knees bent and feet apart in the same sturdy manner as Clem, waiting the advent of the ball. He holds the bat with both hands low down the handle, and he smothers up the ball in making the off-side strokes in very much the same way. He is particularly quick on his feet in changing his position for defence, and he prances down the pitch to meet the slow ball in the same cheerily aggressive manner as his distinguished brother. It was on one of these daring excursions that, missing a breaking-away ball from Shortland, he gave his solitary chance (stumping) on Saturday. Very strong in the wrists, he gets a lot of power into his on-side stabs and his pushes in front of point. Several of his boundaries on Saturday resulted from the latter stroke, which he made best off the three-quarter length ball. He did very little real cutting, this push stroke being made to take the place of the cut. His pulling was very sound and strong, and he showed a nice aptitude generally for guiding the ball away to the leg boundary. His defence, though not very highly tried on Saturday, appeared very sure and reliable, whilst, after passing the century, he made one superlatively fine high drive for six. Altogether, without unduly hurrying, he scored at a good rate, making no fewer than 15 boundaries and two "sixes." It was first-class batting.

BATTING SUCCESSES AT REDFERN.

Batting successes were the order of the day in the Redfern-Burwood match. Barnes and Kerim, for the Redfern sixth wicket, put on 113 runs, the biggest partnership of the round. The pair have been responsible for some very useful individual work this season. Barnes, in particular, has achieved many successes with the bat; as fifth position in the first-grade averages, with 54.22 runs per innings amply testifies. There is nothing surprising in these successes, for Barnes is a most accomplished batsman, a stylish and quick scorer. The wonder is, with his natural ability, that he has not been more consistently successful in the past. He has shown better judgment this season, however, for instead of letting loose his whole repertory of strokes upon the bowlers at the outset, he has invariably played himself in before commencing to dash.

The rotund Kerim is a batsman of an altogether different type, who enjoys himself best when runs are wanted quickly and he can let go his power and hitting tendencies without restraint. His 64 not out on Saturday, made in 50 minutes, included three sixes and several other attempts which only just failed to clear the pickets. At one period he and Barnes put on 50 runs in 16 minutes. As Kerim captured five for 27 in Burwood's first innings with his huge and undisguised break-backs, he enjoyed a particularly good match, as well as having a big share in the Redfern success.

DOCKER'S CENTURY.

P. W. Docker shares with Hill the honour of being the only centurions in the last round of first-grade matches; like the latter, Docker played his best innings of the season in the second attempt against Redfern. He played very dashing cricket against bowling that was essaying a three-point victory. He was only batting an hour and a half for his 108, which included 16 boundaries and a six, many of the former from daring pulls, and the latter from a beautiful straight drive. His partners, Prentice and Taylor, were even more aggressive. The former, in his 45, made seven fours and a beautiful straight-driven six off Goddard, whilst Taylor played very neatly.

NEAT BATTING BY ELLIS.

A few words of commendation are due to R. Ellis for his batting against North Sydney. His innings of 69 was in actuality divided into two parts, 41 on the wet wicket of the first day, and the remainder on Saturday's fast wicket; but the character of his play was the same on both occasions. On both wickets he shaped very confidently and neatly. His best stroke was undoubtedly the off-drive, which he makes with plenty of follow-through and power all along the green sward; it necessitated the placing a special fieldsman in that position on both occasions. He also displayed some particularly crisp and neat on-side strokes.

and his defence was never at fault. There is much promise in the batting of this young player.

A BOWLER OF PROMISE.

Some particularly successful bowling characterised the Glebe-Middle Harbour match at Wentworth Park. Randell, with his googlies, had a burst of success, quickly finishing-off the Glebe innings. In just under four overs he captured four wickets for seven runs—nearly a parallel performance to that of Dr. Hordern at North Sydney. Another very fine effort was that of young Cullen, who, in the course of 18 overs, secured five Middl eHarbour wickets for 48 runs. He bowled unchanged right through the innings. It was a distinctly creditable performance to get rid of Middle Harbour under Saturday's good batting conditions for such a small total as 112; indeed, when the 9th wicket fell the Glebe total had only been exceeded by 19 runs. Cullen, the principal factor in this collapse, is a bowler of pace; he belongs to the fast-bowling category rather than the very fast. Taking a moderate run, he has a nice action, and, bowling well within his strength, keeps a good length; though he usually tends to swing away from the right-handed batsman, he sends down an occasional very good ball that works the other way. There is promise in his bowling. His pace should increase, and with it, and the added experience to be gained by bowling at good batsmen, his general effectiveness may be expected also to improve.

A GREATLY-IMPROVED CRICKETER.

P. S. Arnott added one more tier to the construction of his cricketing reputation by hitting up the fine score of 92 against the Cumberland bowlers. Needless to say, it was scored at Parramatta, for such scores are not readily made at Birchgrove. His runs were made by very free, vigorous batting, especially to the off-side, where he made some delightful drives to the boundary. Arnott is a batsman with plenty of offensive strokes on both sides of the wicket; he is one of the most-improved cricketers of the season, advance being noticeable in his play all through. The development of the googlie attack in his bowling is bound also to increase his all-round utility and his chances of early promotion to representative honours.

COUNTRY BATSMAN.

The members of the University Club who visited Bathurst at Easter think highly of the batting of the Rockley player, Edwards. He has a very sound defence and a number of scoring strokes, his best being on the off, where he drives with considerable power. That he was not selected to play with the country team against metropolis in Sydney at Easter was his misfortune.

ATHLETICS.

A.A.A. ANNUAL MEETING.

ROAD-RACING SEASON.

The twenty-fifth annual general meeting of the N.S.W. Amateur Athletic Association has been fixed for Wednesday, May 1, at the Sports Club. Nominations for the offices of patron, president, six vice-presidents, four handicappers (sprints, distance, field games, and walks), starter, hon. treasurer, hon. secretary, hon. race sec., number, costume, and dressing-room stewards, must be made and seconded in writing, and forwarded to the hon. secretary at least ten days prior to the date of the annual meeting. An important item in the business will be the consideration of a motion that steps be taken to establish a club headquarters. It is recognised that the rapid advance of amateur athletics here, and the increasing strength of membership, warrant the proposed scheme of securing rooms in a central position for meetings and social gatherings, and where members of affiliated clubs may congregate. It is suggested that a sub-committee be appointed to draw up articles of association to be presented for confirmation at a general meeting of members. The idea should commend itself to all amateur athletes, as the need for an A.A.A. Club room has at various times been suggested, and a strong working committee to conduct the preliminary matters should result in the venture coming into operation at an early date.

Notice has been given of a resolution that the rules of the A.A.A. dealing with transfers from one club to another, which were rescinded two years since shall be again brought into existence. These regulations made it necessary that a member who desired to transfer to another club should apply to the association, stating his reasons, and afforded secretaries an opportunity of dealing with financial members. A correct record was therefore kept of all affiliated athletes. Under the present conditions, however, a person may change his club at any time, and in many cases the secretary of the body which he joins does not make any inquiry to ascertain if he was financial with the club he had withdrawn from. Attempts to secure men are usually made with the approach of important teams' races, such as the cross-country and 10 miles championships, when influence is brought to bear to induce members to leave their clubs by pointing out all manner of real and imaginary advantages. It is by this method that many of the weaker clubs have lost some promising material, and it has often been the cause of such clubs being disbanded. The transfer rules always worked satisfactorily, and they should never have been rescinded.

Members of the East Sydney A.A.C. opened their road racing season last Saturday with a 3½ miles club run at Rose Bay. The distance runners have not quite settled to hard training; this accounted for the small field which took part, and the slow times recorded. G. C. Banks (2m) finished first, covering the distance in 17m 34s. Scratch man T. J. Wood occupied fourth place, his running time being 16m 2s. Prior to the road race the winner filled second place in the 120 yards handicap, off the 17 yards mark, won by R. P. Warner on 5½ yards. Banks, with an allowance of 18s, was also second in the 50 yards swimming handicap, in which he was conceding the winner, S. Foran, 4s. The East Sydney Club's training quarters at Oxford-street and Victoria-avenue, Woollahra, are now open, and runs are being held on Thursday and Tuesday evenings. A two miles and throwing the discus handicaps will be held on Saturday next at Hunter's Hill, in conjunction with the local club's annual sports.

The South Sydney Harriers will decide a one-mile handicap for members at the Hunter's Hill sports. Post entries will be taken. Club runs are held each Monday, Wednesday, and Friday night from the headquarters Cleveland and Dowling streets, Moore Park. This club's first open event will be on May 11, when the fifth annual road race from Parramatta to Sydney will be carried out.

There was a good attendance at Mr. J. J. Manning's Marrickville grounds on Saturday. The 75 yards novice professional handicap drew 20 entries, and the six heats provided close finishes. The fastest was won by J. H. Cusack in 7⅘s, off 10½yds, and his semi-final was run in 7 3-5s. He was considered a sure winner of the final, but H. T. Gillett (9½yds), who could only register 7 4-5s for his heat, and was beaten for first place in the semi-final run in the same time, sprang a surprise by finishing with great dash and winning the final by a foot in 7 3-5s, with Cusack and Tighe in the places.

On the same ground the Redfern Harriers' 100 yards club handicap, which had originally been set down for decision a month ago, was decided. Three heats and a final were contested, the concluding run resulting in a victory for A. Symons off 7½yds, in 10⅘s. D. Stokes (7yds) was second, and virtual scratch man T. Ferguson (3yds) next. The Redfern distance runners are doing their training on Monday and Wednesday evenings from the rooms at 89 Dowling-street.

H. Baker, one of the Leichhardt Harriers' best sprinters, won the club 100 yards handicap on Saturday from the 2yds mark. His time for the heat was 10 3-5s, but the final was not taken. The 880 yards handicap was annexed by C. M'Carthy off 55yds, in 2m 4s, and Hon. Sec. A. Michael gained first place in the running hop, step, and jump, at 40ft 6in, with 1ft 5in added.

A very small entry has been received for the 100 yards and 880 yards open handicaps at the Hunter's Hill Harriers' sports next Saturday. This can only be expected, considering that the sports are arranged on a date when the track season is over. Each year this club's annual carnival is held in April, and the open events do not draw satisfactory entries. It would be to the advantage of all concerned if on future occasions the committee would arrange the meeting at a time when the sprinters and middle-distance runners are in active training.

Nominations close on Saturday for the pole vault championship of New South Wales, to be decided by the Cumberland Harriers on the occasion of the combined clubs' opening run at Parramatta Park, on Saturday, 27th inst. There should be a fair attendance at the run. The entry is free, and a banner will be awarded the club with the largest muster and neatest costumes, in addition to prizes of £2 2s and £1 1s to those finishing in the prominent places. Opening runs are successfully held in other States, and, although it has been suggested upon many occasions that the association conduct one at the beginning of each season, it has remained for an affiliated club to promote the first combined meeting.

FIXTURES.

Thursday, 18th: A.A.A. boxing and wrestling championships, at Gaiety Hall.
Saturday, 20th: Hunter's Hill annual sports. East Sydney and South Sydney clubs races.
Thursday, 25th: Presentation of prizes won at police and fire brigade sports.
Saturday, 27th: Cumberland Harriers, combined clubs' opening run and pole vault championship of New South Wales, at Parramatta Park.

MOTORING.

THE DESPATCH RIDE.

MOTORING EXPERIENCES.

The recent military despatch was responsible for many varied experiences, especially by the motorist section. In this connection Mr. Roy Sandford writes:—

"No doubt you have been wondering why it was that the 20-30-h.p. car I drove arrived in Sydney an hour and a quarter before the car which carried the despatch, and I regret not sending you an explanation before. The despatch was scheduled to arrive at Albury about three o'clock on Sunday afternoon, but it did not arrive until about twenty-five minutes past seven. The 'Flanders' car started straight away from Albury with the despatch; we followed just behind. We knew the 'Flanders' passed through Germanton just ahead of us, but we did not know until we arrived in Gundagai that the 'Flanders' was not ahead of us. We debated whether to wait at Gundagai or continue on to Yass. We decided on the latter course, because we figured the other car might have gone to Yass without going through Gundagai. On arrival at Yass the 'Flanders' did not turn up, so we took it they were lost or broken down and thus, without the despatch, we continued on to Goulburn, thence to Sydney.

"It was not until our arrival in Sydney we knew the 'Flanders' was coming behind.

"For your information I might state we made a fast trip because we wanted to prove that if we had the despatch it would have been in Sydney in good time. The road from Germanton to Gundagai is in a disgraceful state, and in many places there is no road at all. In one instance the road had been fenced off with a four-wire fence. This we crashed into at 30 miles an hour, and tore it down. The noise awakened two tramps, who showed us the way round through the fields on to the road again. At Bowning, just before Yass, we lost 20 minutes through taking the wrong road. We waited forty minutes for news of the other car, but as we obtained none, we came on from Albury to Goulburn, 239 miles, in the dark. We averaged 23 miles an hour from Goulburn to Sydney, and in the daylight 136 miles were accomplished in three hours and forty minutes, which is very nearly the record. The total elapse of time from Albury to Sydney was 13 hours 25 minutes, or 25.7 miles an hour. The actual driving time from Albury to Sydney was 13 hours 20 minutes, or 28.1 miles per hour."

Colonel Rawson has asked the President of the English Board of Trade whether he could see his way to remit the regulations limiting the amount of petrol and oil which country dealers are allowed to keep on their premises, and so enable them to have larger stocks to deal with any emergency. Mr. M'Kenna (Home Secretary), who replied, said:—"There is at present no restriction on the amount of ordinary oil having a flash point of 73deg. Fahrenheit or over that may be kept by a dealer. The amount of petrol that may be kept is governed by the terms of the licence issued by the local authority, in whom the administration of the Petroleum Acts is vested, and I have no statutory power of intervention except in cases of appeal."

A copy of "Pearson's Road Guide" is to hand. As usual, it supplies a fund of information to the motorist and cyclist. The book contains a list of hotels, description of routes, the class of roads to be traversed, and some selected motor tours. The road map—the second edition—is a most comprehensive one, and has been carefully compiled.

MOTOR CYCLING.

2000 MILES' TOUR—WAGGA TO WAGGA.

A motor cyclist states that the tour was commenced from the Wagga Experimental Farm, Bomen, at 3.5 p.m. The spares carried consisted of one valve and spring, one sparking plug, and one belt fastener. The belt fastener was the only spare made use of throughout the trip. The route was via Temora, Young, Cowra, Bathurst, and Mudgee. A halt was made for half a day at Cowra and Bathurst, and three weeks were spent at Mudgee. In the Mudgee district some 200 miles were travelled during the stay. The journey from Bomen to Mudgee occupied 17 hours 10 minutes (riding time) without a puncture, but with the replacement of one outer cover at Cowra. The distance was 320 miles, over roads which varied from very dusty to very good, and in parts very hilly. From Mudgee the trip was continued through Cassilis, Merriwa, Denman, Muswellbrook to Scone, where he was joined by Mr. L. S. Harrison on his 3½ L.M.C. A record was established between Mudgee and Muswellbrook. The former town was left behind at 7 a.m., and dinner was partaken of at Muswellbrook at 1.15 p.m., the distance being 127 miles. Many good hills were climbed between Scone and Tamworth, particularly those leading to and from Murrurundi. The course was through Armidale to Glen Innes, where hills and very bad roads were encountered. After spending a few days at Glen Innes, (they proceeded through Tenterfield to Casino; then, a run was made down the coast towards Sydney. Heavy rain fell on the coast, and on two or three occasions the travellers were bogged. Between Coff's Harbour and Raleigh the road was so heavy that it was necessary to put the machines in a cart for seven miles, after which the roads improved, and the cyclists were able to make up the lost time between Bowraville and Kempsey. Kempsey to Port Macquarie (33 miles) was done before breakfast, and the day was spent there. The following morning they reached Taree (55 miles) before breakfast, then on to Gloucester for lunch, and through Stroud to Raymond Terrace for the night. The day's run was 164 miles. Heavy rain fell that night in the Hunter River district, which made the roads heavy to West Maitland, where they had breakfast. One fall, between Wollombi and Wiseman's, resulted in bent front forks, owing to the front wheel striking an obstacle. With bent forks progress was slow, and only 15 miles an hour averaged to Sydney. Repairs were effected in Sydney; then, with very limited time, a start was made for Wagga (320 miles). The last day's run was 186 miles, while the whole journey occupied 15 hours 35 minutes, which averages 21 1-6 miles per hour. Unfortunately, one puncture was experienced 16 miles from home; this was the only one throughout the journey of 2012 miles. The machine behaved splendidly throughout the tour, and finished up almost flying along. Razorback Hill was taken with ease, and at times it was necessary to throttle down, owing to the rough state of the road.

CYCLING.

UNION'S CLUB NIGHT.

SEASON CLOSES THIS EVENING.

The first race at the Union's "club night" at the Sports Ground this evening will be started sharp at 7.45 p.m., and the last event will take place at 10.10 p.m. This is the concluding fixture of the track racing season, which has been an exceptionally long and busy one. The order of events is as follows:—1, "run-off" between Redfern and Western Suburbs clubs to decide final winners of the old Griffith shield, these two clubs having tied in a number of wins; 2, Liverpool Club's 1 mile; 3, Eastern Suburbs Club's half-mile; 4, Western Suburbs Club's half-mile; 5, Rockdale Club's one mile; 6, City Club's half-mile; 7, New Griffith Team championship, three heats; 8, Victa Club's half-mile; 9, Swift Club's one mile; 10, Griffith Team championship, final; 11, Crow's Nest Club's mile; 12, South Sydney Club's mile; 13, the "Heighway Mile," open handicap, heats and final.

There are about 80 riders entered for the open race.

UNION COUNCIL MEETING.

The first meeting of the new Union Council will be held at the Sports Club, Hunter-street, to-morrow evening at 8.15. The business will include the election of the new executive, status committee, and records committee for the ensuing season. Other matters which will come before the council will be the opening run of the season, which will probably be held this year at Botany, and several miscellaneous items of business. Clubs which have not yet sent in any names of members for registration will require to do so before their representatives can have a vote at the meeting, and also the delegate appointed by each club must have his name notified to the union in writing by the secretary of his particular club.

The Northern Suburbs District League Club will hold its initial road race on the Chatswood course on Saturday next. The following is a list of the handicaps:—C. S. Dickson, scr.; E. L. Bestel, 30s; O. Clafton, 50s; J. Brinkhorn, 50s; A. W. Pearce, 1m; A. H. Darley, 1m; H. C. Bate, 1m 20s; G. A. Gore, 1m 30s; B. Fisher, 1m 30s; E. Fergusson, 1m 50s; H. Fergusson, 1m 50s; A. G. Wilson, 1m 50s; S. Andrews, 2m; G. M'Kay, 2m; V. Trundle, 2m 10s; H. Schofield, 2m 20s; H. Townsend 2m 30s; H. Howard, 2m 30s; A. Trundle, 2m 50s; F. Duffy, 3m; T. Gess, 3m; E. Gore, 3m; G. Tipping, 4m.

ROWING.

THE RIPLEY-THOROUGHGOOD MATCH.

GENERAL NOTES.

At the Rowing Association dinner Mr. R. B. Fitzhardinge expressed regret that the Olympic crew was taking only one boat in which to practice and race. Certainly a second eight would have been desirable, but the expense was a consideration, as the cost of two would run into about £200—that is, cost, freight, insurance, and handling. In England many boats could be had, but not one of them would suit our crew, because of the fittings used there being so different from what the crew has been taught to row. Our boats are centre-seated, the slides are longer, and the make of the stretchers is different. Another important thing is that we use shorter riggers, 29in instead of 31in to 32in from centre of the slide to rowing thowl. English boats do not float so buoyantly as our builds, and the work is set higher in consequence, far too high for short oars outboard such as are regarded here as being far preferable to long ones with narrow blades. In regard to boat and oars, our crew will probably be better found than the rival teams. The fittings of the Belgian crews are something similar to those used here, and they also use short oars.

Before leaving Sydney R. Arnst wished to race E. Barry on August 19, because that would be the anniversary of his previous meeting with the English champion on the Zambesi course. By a strange coincidence the date now proposed (July 29) will be the first anniversary of Arnst's race against H. Pearce for the championship, when he scored his fifth win for the title on the Parramatta. Readers will perhaps remember that Pearce rowed a fine race, and led at the mile, his time being the record for a championship on the river—5m 35s. Arnst's record for the course was 19m 46s, just a shade better than George Town's time against J. Stanbury. Although these times are the best on record for a championship on the course, it must

M. H. MARSH,
Who, with G. P. Sayers, won the Doubles Championship of New South Wales for the second time.

be taken into consideration that the race started some few lengths from the Ryde Bridge. Twice in minor races the course has been rowed in much less time, by J. Sullivan in 18m 41⅘s, and by C. Nielsen in 17m 46⅘s, but the conditions of tide and a fresh in the river, also the breese, had a good deal to do with those performances.

Of the Tasmanian eight which will row on the Swan River next month, it is satisfactory to learn that the available material is regarded as good enough to provide a heavy and smart crew of fine oarsmen. Farr, Pitt, and Monro have taken part in the races before, but E. Coverdale, J. Hurburgh, R. Goyen, E. Walpole, and R. Quinn are new men. The coach, J. Coogan, was a successful oarsman from the Tamar, and he raced on the Parramatta in 1896, when the champion fours took place. It is remarkable that so many new men will be in the representative crews this year; each of the five States is sending several.

The rowing season in Victoria has ended so far as regattas are concerned, and once again the champion club is Albert Park, with 80 points, followed by University and Ballarat City with 75 points each. For the junior pennant, which is decided on the result of maiden and junior races, three clubs have each scored 50 points. These are Banks, Civil Service, and Essendon. Richmond City scored 45, and Mercantile is next in order with 30.

Heat of the Kemp Sculling Handicap and the ladies' sculling championship in best

G. W. WRIGHT,
Who has won several New South Wales Doubles Championships.

boats will take place on Saturday afternoon, and a week later the finals will be rowed. For the ladies' race, which will be rowed in best boats, the probable starters are Miss F. Kemp, Miss N. Counsell, Miss Alma Larsen, Miss L. Pearce, Miss G. Hawkes, and Mrs. Woodbridge. The prize-money is £25, and the winners of the heats will compete in the final for the prizes. For the All-comers' Handicap there is a record entry—about 40, and nearly all the leading scullers have nominated. Three large steamers have been engaged to follow the racing, and will leave Fort Macquarie at 2.15 p.m., calling at Balmain and Abbotsford, before proceeding to Ryde, near where the racing will start. The prizes for the men to compete for are £75, £15, and £10. The promoters of the racing have shown a commendable example of pluck, and it is hoped the public will show appreciation by attending on the steamers in large numbers.

Alex. Ripley and B. Thoroughgood were to row for the heavy boats championship and £200 stakes last Saturday, over a couse of three miles, on the Hunter River. However, there was no contest, as Thoroughgood was suffering from lumbago, and wanted a postponement. To this Ripley would not agree, and it was understood he would row the course and then claim the stake-money. There have been very few instances of a claim for forfeit, particularly on the final deposit. When George Towns was matched against W. J. Haines on the Thames in 1898 he was a victim to influenza; but as the Englishman would not grant a postponement of a fortnight there was a forfeit of £25. Magnanimous George Towns when he returned to Sydney with the championship was matched to row Richard Tresidder for the title and £1000 on the Parramatta; but as the challenger was not well, owing to an operation, he allowed him all the time he asked for, some five months. What agreement Ripley and Thoroughgood had is not known; but it is equitable that a man really too ill to race should be given all consideration. A rival can be a sportsman and still be considerate.

Mr. Charles S. Cunningham, who has been appointed as the third of the three selectors for the Olympic crew, is just about the right man to fill this difficult position. The team of actual rowers number 14, and of these six must stand aside; but in "Tingle" of the "Australasian" we have an experienced oarsman, in close touch with amateur rowing right up to date. He is capable, tactful, and single in purpose. During his career of some 15 to 20 years he rowed and watched rowing, and was good enough in 1900 to row seven for Victoria, scoring a win.

The Wanderers Lacrosse Club (schoolboys) will be in Sydney in June. If they maintain the same standard of play this season that they did last year in Melbourne, their play will be an eyeopener to some of our B grade teams.

LAWN TENNIS.

THE NEW SOUTH WALES CHAMPIONSHIPS.

INTERCLUB COMPETITIONS.

The championship honours this year were more equally distributed than usual, a result which indicates that a levelling process in the standard of play is taking place. It is not infrequent to find at least two of the events

H. M. RICE,
Who has won numerous State Championships.

in which men compete held by one player. Last year Campbell won all three. At the meeting just concluded no one annexed more than one championship, A. B. Jones taking the singles, Marsh and Sayers the doubles, and Campbell and Miss Collings the mixed.

Observation of the play in the interstate match and the championship induces the opinion that this levelling has been caused by improvement in form of the younger players, rather than a falling-off of the old champions. Taking a line through Rice, whose form throughout the meeting was little inferior to that of his best days, it seems certain that A. B. Jones, who defeated him, and Marsh, who made so good a fight in the semi-final, have advanced considerably in singles play. Marsh and Sayers, by winning the doubles in such brilliant style, regain the championship won by them in 1909. They were not far from defeat, however, by Poidevin and E. L. Jones, whose stock is improved in value by the subsequent success of their conquerors. Taking the form of the competitors generally, the performances of those just outside the positions of certainty for the State team must be considered satisfactory.

Of those somewhat further removed from the probability of immediate inclusion in the representative six, several young players of promise were seen in the open singles and doubles. N. Peach, the winner of the singles, is one of whom strong hopes may be entertained. He

Mr. T. H. HICKS,
Hon. Secretary of the Australasian Lawn Tennis Association.

has learned much by experience in competition during the past two years, and now makes much better use of the large variety of strokes which he possesses. J. O. Anderson, a still younger player, shows greater merit at each tournament. Like all his brothers, he possesses great power. His forehand ground strokes are most effective at present. He has a useful shot sharp across to his adversary's forehand, and an equally dangerous one to the other side of the court. As he appears able to make these with equal ease and certainty without showing his intention, his opponents are frequently left standing. Finlayson, the energetic representative of Armidale, is another who continues to move forward. No one has profited more than he by observation of the strokes and methods of the best players. Plomley, of Manly, showed good style, some of his strokes resembling those of Curtis, the ex-champion, and Baker, his club-mate, who is one of the few who has an American service, and follows in on it, has distinctly improved since last year.

The most conspicuous weakness in all classes at the tournament was the lack of a really dangerous service. Almost without exception, the Davis Cup men have services infinitely better than those of any in New South Wales, and they are all of the break variety. With such examples as Brookes, Wilding, Heath, Alexander, Beals Wright, and M'Loughlin before them, it is strange that so few endeavour to acquire an equally valuable

E. D. L. JONES,
Who, with H. M. Rice, holds the Metropolitan Doubles Championship.

opening stroke. The following is the list of New South Wales championship holders since the inauguration of the competition in 1885:—

SINGLES.

1885, W. J. B. Salmon; 1886, C. W. Cropper; 1887, C. W. Cropper; 1888, D. Webb; 1889, A. G. Colquhoun; 1890, D. Webb; 1891, W. V. Eaves; 1892, D. Webb; 1893, D. Webb; 1894, D. Webb; 1895, H. R. Crossman; 1896, H. R. Crossman; 1897, A. Curtis; 1898, H. R. Crossman; 1899 A. D. Kearney; 1900 H. Rice; 1901, A. D. Kearney; 1902, W. V. Eaves; 1903, G. G. Sharp; 1904, G. G. Sharp; 1905, no competition; 1906, G. G. Sharp; 1907, H. Rice; 1908, R. W. Heath; 1909, R. W. Heath; 1910, H. A. Parker; 1911, A. Campbell; 1912, A. B. Jones.

DOUBLES.

1885, W. J. B. Salmon and J. B. Lemay; 1886, C. W. Cropper and C. T. Metcalfe; 1887, W. J. C. Reddell and D. Webb; 1888, A. F. Chomley and E. Raleigh; 1889, C. W. Cropper and D. Webb; 1890, W. J. C. Riddell and A. F. Chomley; 1891, W. V. Eaves and B. Green; 1892, O. Malcolm and B. Green; 1893, D. Webb and P. B. Colquhoun; 1894, B. Green and T. Tatchell; 1895, D. Webb and E. B. Dewhurst; 1896, A. H. Windeyer and P. B. Colquhoun; 1897, A. W. Dunlop and B. Green; 1898, L. Gaden and H. Rice; 1899, L. Gaden and H. Rice; 1900, A. Curtis and E. B. Dewhurst; 1901, A. D. Kearney and N. E. Brookes; 1902, L. Gaden and H. Rice; 1903, G. G. Sharp and G. W. Wright; 1904, G. G. Sharp and G. W. Wright; 1905, no competition; 1906, G. G. Sharp and G. W. Wright; 1907, H. Rice and E. Pockley; 1908, H. Rice and E. Pockley; 1909, A. B. Jones and G. W. Wright; 1910, M. H. Marsh and G. P. Sayers; 1911, H. Rice and A. Campbell; 1912, M. H. Marsh and G. P. Sayers.

CHALLENGE PAIRS.

1885, C. W. Cropper and Miss Lamb; 1886, L. A. Whyte and Miss L. Scott; 1887, D. Webb and Miss Greene; 1888, D. Webb and Miss Mayne; 1889, R. D. Fitzgerald and Miss Fitzgerald; 1890, D. Webb and Miss Mayne; 1891, P. Webb and Miss [illegible]; 1892, B. Green and Miss Mayne; 1893, G. H. Wickham and Miss Shaw; 1894, D. Webb and Miss Dransfield; 1895, P. B. Colquhoun and Miss M. Shaw; 1896, P. B. Colquhoun and Miss M. Shaw; 1897, A. W. Dunlop and Miss P. Howitt; 1898, A. W. Dunlop and Miss P. Howitt; 1899, L. Gaden and Mrs. Cater; 1900, L. Gaden and Mrs. Cater; 1901, H. Rice and Miss Payten; 1902, H. Rice and Miss Payten; 1903, H. Rice and Miss Payten; 1904, H. Rice and Miss Payten; 1905, no competition; 1906, S. T. Jones and Miss Jones; 1907, A. B. Jones and Miss Payten; 1908, H. Rice and Miss K. Baker; 1909, J. Addison and Miss L. Addison; 1910, H. A. Parker and Miss L. Addison; 1911, A. Campbell and Miss Stewart; 1912, A. Campbell and Miss Collings.

LADIES' DOUBLES.

1886, Misses Lamb and Greene; 1887, Misses Scott and L. Scott; 1888, Misses Scott and L. Scott; 1889, Misses Mayne and Shaw; 1890, Misses Mayne and Shaw; 1891, Misses Scott and Dransfield; 1892, Misses Mayne and Shaw; 1893, Misses Mayne and Shaw; 1894, Misses Dransfield and M. Dransfield; 1895, Misses Dransfield and M. Dransfield; 1896, Misses M. Shaw and P. Howitt; 1897, Misses Nunneley and P. Howitt; 1898, Misses Dransfield and M. Dransfield; 1899, Misses P. Howitt and Clift; 1900, Mrs. Cater and Miss Clift; 1901, Misses Payten and M. Dransfield; 1902, Misses Payten and M. Dransfield; 1903, Misses Payten and M. Dransfield; 1904, Misses Payten and Jones; 1905, no competition; 1906, Misses Payten and Jones; 1907, Misses Payten and Jones; 1908, Misses K. Baker and Collings; 1909, Misses L. Addison and Stewart; 1910, Misses Addison and Stewart; 1911, Misses Stewart and Blain; 1912, Mrs. Ford and Miss Collings.

LADIES' SINGLES.

1885, Miss Lamb; 1886, Miss Greene; 1887, Miss Mayne; 1888, Miss L. Scott; 1889, Miss Mayne; 1890, Miss Mayne; 1891, Miss Dransfield; 1892, Miss Shaw; 1893, Miss Mayne; 1894, Miss Dransfield; 1895, Miss M. Shaw; 1896, Miss K. M. Nunneley; 1897, Miss P. Howitt; 1898, Miss P. Howitt; 1899, Miss P. Howitt; 1900, Miss Payten; 1901, Miss Payten; 1902, Miss Payten; 1903, Miss Payten; 1904, Miss Payten; 1905, no competition; 1906, Miss K. Baker; 1907, Miss Payten; 1908, Miss K. Baker; 1909, Miss L. Powdrell; 1910, Miss L. Addison; 1911, Miss P. Stewart; 1912, Mrs. Ford.

So far as can be judged by the entries received for the A grade club matches, the competition will be at least as interesting as the district competition, which it supplants. Sydney has three teams, the first of which will be formed from A. B. Jones, G. W. Wright, M. H. Marsh, E. L. Jones, and W. A. Clark. This team seems sure to take a high place. Wright and A. B. Jones are a pair who usually maintain their form week after week, and the best combination of the other three will provide a pair little, if at all, inferior. Balmoral will have Sayers and Poidevin as one

G. P. SAYERS,
Who, with M. H. Marsh as partner, won the Doubles Championship of New South Wales.

pair, with Rice and Kidston as the other. They have effective reserves in Webb and S. T. Jones. Between this side and Sydney there should be great rivalry. University has not yet definitely decided on its teams, of which there will be two, but Sharp will probably play occasionally, if not regularly, and Barbour, Gregg, and Metcalfe may complete the first team. Stacy, Utz, Barriskell, Whiting, Tozer, and Macken are also mentioned as probable competitors. The University will probably give trouble to the best teams. None of the other teams seem likely to effect a surprise, but the majority of them are sufficiently strong to keep even the best sides "warm."

FIXTURES.

April 27.—Interclub competitions begin.

SAILING

This season has been extended somewhat longer than usual, owing to the fact that several of the clubs were unable to bring their races of March 30 to a conclusion on account of the absence of that very necessary quantity in sailing wind. These events were re-sailed on Saturday (except the Sydney Club's handicap which was abandoned), but even these did not bring the season's racing to a close, as the Mosman

A. B. JONES,
Who won the Singles Championship of New South Wales on Saturday.

Amateur Club has yet another race to be decided next Saturday.

The Port Jackson Skiff Club's novice handicap last Saturday resulted in a win for Lark, sailed by P. Beashed, with Ibex second, and Murcia third.

Before Mr. Mark Foy left for England on his last trip, the members of the Sydney Flying Squadron, of which he is patron and commodore, and a number of aquatic identities gave him a "send off" in the shape of a farewell dinner. Mr. Foy has now issued invitations for a return dinner and social evening to be held at Sargents, Market-street, to-morrow evening, and, as there is nobody more popular in the sport than the founder of the Flying Squadron and supporter of almost all the sailing clubs in Sydney, the response is sure to be wholehearted.

For some time past a section of the skiff men have been in favour of carrying an extra sail in their races; but all efforts to get the Port Jackson Skiff Club to go beyond the jib and mainsail have failed. The question has now taken shape in another direction, and on Monday evening next a meeting will be held at the Sports Club, Hunter-street, for the purpose of forming a club to cater for skiffs under conditions which will admit of their carrying an "extra."

This step in not taken with any hostility to the Port Jackson Skiff Club; in fact, the idea is that both clubs shall work amicably in conjunction, just as the Sydney Flying Squadron and Sydney Club do with regard to the open boats. The fleet of skiffs has now grown to such dimensions that there is plenty of room for the two clubs, even were they to hold races on the same day, and, as the extra sail will serve to make the crews smarter and more skilful, besides adding to the spectacle, the movement is one that deserves support. All interested are invited to attend Monday night's meeting.

As the yacht racing is now finished, and the season so far advanced that there is every probability of calm seas and favourable winds on the coast, Mr. W. M. Marks has decided to take his yacht Culwulla III. for a cruise as far as Brisbane. Several calls will be made along the New South Wales coast, including Broken Bay, Port Stephens, and Trial Bay. The Culwulla III. will leave Sydney on Saturday next. Mr. Marks will be accompanied on this trip by Messrs. Dalgarno, Usher, Black, and Campbell. This cruise will differ from the yacht's previous trip south to Hobart, and thence to Melbourne, inasmuch as there will not be any opportunity to attain interstate honours at her destination.

N.S.W. LAWN TENNIS TEAM.

To-day are published portraits of the members of the New South Wales lawn tennis team that so signally defeated the Victorian representatives last week.

FOOTBALL.

RUGBY UNION.

The 9th brigade of the Compulsory Training Cadets, comprising 5000 boys of the Newtown and Western Suburbs areas, are anxious to carry out a competition under Rugby Union laws. Sergeant-Major O'Grady, an old Western Suburbs player, has the matter in hand, and the Newtown and Western Suburbs clubs are endeavouring to formulate a scheme for acquiring grounds, obtaining referees, coaching, etc. There is no doubt a big opening exists here for some fine competitions in the various companies.

At Newcastle last Wednesday the Rugby Unionists gathered in great numbers, and a new body, to be called the Newcastle Branch of the New South Wales Rugby Union, was formed to replace the Northern Branch, which went out of existence in such regrettable circumstances. Mr. P. Allen, a representative player of 1886, presided, and Messrs. Forgie and Beddie, from the N.S.W. Rugby Union, attended. There is every prospect of three strong teams being formed, the East Novocastrians attending the meeting almost to a man. Messrs. Jones and Messenger, the two crack three-quarters, have remained loyal, and will play with their old team. New executive officers are H. O'Neill, secretary; H. R. Bridson, treasurer; and the outlook is bright.

The following entries have been received by the Metropolitan Union in connection with its competitions:—

First Grade.—Newtown, University, Manly, Western Suburbs, Glebe, Eastern Suburbs, North Sydney, St. George, Balmain, and South Sydney.

Second Grade.—Newtown, University, Manly, Western Suburbs, Glebe, Eastern Suburbs, North Sydney, St. George, Balmain, Sydney Training College, Y.M.C.A., Marrickville, Randwick, and Chatswood.

Third Grade.—Newtown, Manly, Glebe, Eastern Suburbs, North Sydney, Balmain, S. T. College, Y.M.C.A., Marrickville, Randwick, Ryde, and Hereward.

There is an increase of two teams on last season's list.

The annual meeting of the City and Suburban Referees' Association will be held on Friday next at the Rugby Union Rooms, Bligh-street.

FIXTURES.

TRIAL GAMES—NEXT SATURDAY.

First Grade.—Newtown v South Sydney, at Erskineville, 4 p.m.; University v Glebe, at Epping, 4 p.m.; Eastern Suburbs v Western Suburbs, at Grammar School Ground, 3.15 p.m.; St. George v North Sydney, at Erskineville, 3 p.m.; Balmain v Manly, at Epping, 3 p.m.

Second Grade.—Newtown v St. George, at Erskineville, 2 p.m.; University v Glebe, at Epping, 2 p.m.; Eastern Suburbs v Western Suburbs, at Grammar School Ground, 2 p.m.; Balmain v S. T. College, at Drummoyne, 3.15 p.m.; North Sydney v Manly, at Brookvale, 3.15 p.m.

RUGBY LEAGUE.

THE SEASON'S PROSPECTS.

The fifth year of League football has already commenced, and in none of the previous seasons has the new code started with such bright prospects. The doubt that existed in 1908, when the pioneers had cut themselves adrift from the Rugby Union, has passed away; the chaotic conditions which heralded 1909 have been safely overcome; and the League, strengthened by the Wallaby acquisition, the remarkable success of the English visit to Australia, and the "Kangaroo" tour, begins 1912 in a particularly happy position. The standard of play in the metropolitan games promises to be the highest yet shown. Following are the prospects of the various clubs:—

EASTERN SUBURBS.

The premiers will again be a very fine side. Should E. White and J. D. Campbell maintain the form which they displayed after the departure of the "Kangaroos," the three-quarter line—Messenger, Frawley, and the two players mentioned—will be exceptionally powerful. In addition, all the other backs are available. There has been no material alteration in the forwards, so the tricolour will most likely rely upon the side which won the premiership, strengthened by Frawley and R. Williams, the Australasian representatives. The new players include T. Doyle (Lithgow) and Watkins (N.Z.). The second grade team, who have held the premiership every year, hope to have their fifth victory this season.

GLEBE.

The supporters of last year's runners-up expect the "Reds" to go through the season unbeaten. On paper the side is extremely strong. D. M'Gregor, the ex-Queenslander, whose brilliant football was a feature of last year's interstate games, will figure as full-back. E. M'Guinness, the Newcastle three-quarter, who represented the State in 1910, and showed out prominently against the "Kangaroos" last Saturday, will be one of the acquisitions in the three-quarter line, whilst J. Hickey and D. Wright have returned to the fold from Balmain. The injury to L. Cubitt will weaken the back division, but with an overplus of players, the trouble will be easily overcome. The forwards of last winter are practically intact. C. Savoury is also among the probables, whilst one other of the wavering "Kangaroos" may transfer to the Reds. C. H. Upton has succeeded A. L. Macnamara in the position of secretary. The new official has long been an enthusiastic Leagueite, and before occupying the present position, filled a seat on the committee of the controlling body.

SOUTH SYDNEY.

Last season the Red and Greens, suffering from an embarrassment of riches, was able to be generous to other clubs, and allow the latter the use of several of the surplus players. The majority of these will find positions in the South Sydney ranks this year. E. Hucker and J. Davis will be recalled from North Sydney, and Hilliard will probably return from Balmain. Hallett's decision to remain in Australia makes pleasant reading to South Sydney, who will greatly miss the brilliant Gilbert, and in a lesser degree S. Darmody, should their transfers be granted. The other backs of last year are available, and the forwards will be as fleet as ever. With two "legs-in" for the Royal Agricultural Society's Shield, South Sydney requires but another victory for the premiership to win the handsome trophy outright. There will be plenty of junior teams in the district to draw from when necessary.

NEWTOWN.

The "Royal Blues" have lost W. H. Hayes, last season's half-back, and J. Mogan from the forwards. Both these players are located in Newcastle. Should the club and the controlling body favourably view W. Farnsworth's transfer to an English Club, Newtown will suffer an irreparable loss. It is intended to try Roy Farnsworth in the half-back position. Last year his play in the three-quarter line was very fine. One of the ablest of the Great Public School players of recent years, who has also represented the State at the R.U. game, is coquetting with the new code, and will probably be found in the Blues' rearguard. F. T. Talbot, the local union three-quarter, who was in the first flight of players of the older rules last winter, will most likely secure a place in the three-quarter line, for which position D. Nelson (a member of last year's second-grade team), who accompanied the "Kangaroos" during their tour, will also be a candidate. In trial games at home this player showed out splendidly. The second team will be very powerful. Mr. W. J. Chaseling is again hon. secretary, so administrative matters are in able hands. The club has Metters' Oval as its home ground.

ANNANDALE.

The officials of the youngest of the League Clubs are very optimistic, for the season promises to be the brightest Annandale has experienced. C. Hedley has retired, and there are two candidates for the vacant position of full-back—W. Challis, late of Eastern Suburbs II., and G. Bain, of Glebe R.U. team. W. Lindsay, who played ably for the "Reds" in the M.R.U. competition in 1909, but who was neglected in order that G. Widmer's pace might be fully utilised, will figure in the three-quarter line, whilst B. Coyne, a promising player from Bathurst, is an aspirant for the half-back position. The old members, F. Gressier, Roy Norman, Ray Norman, P. Lilyman, and R. Fraser are still available. In the forwards, T. Brownlee has decided to relinquish the game. The accessions include S. Perry, of Western Suburbs, and E. James (Maitland). The cream of the Leichhardt team, the unbeaten third grade premiers of last year, and some of the Camperdown R.U. side, who won their division, are also at the disposal of Annandale. In all, Mr. W. Lennon, the energetic secretary, reports there are 34 new players seeking selection.

WESTERN SUBURBS.

There are rumours of defections from the local Union club, and when the season opens it will probably be found that one of the leading backs at the old game will be on the League side. Bissett, who was not playing last season, will forsake the role of spectator. For the half-back position there are many keen aspirants. V. West has played splendidly in practice games, and Tully's form is also good. The forwards have been strengthened by the inclusion of T. Alpen, late of Eastern Suburbs, and once of Glebe Union teams. W. Williams, a solid performer with the St. George Club, is also one of the new members. With the exception of Perry, the ablest of the other forwards will be in their old places. The pack last season was solid enough, but the backs were the weak link. This winter the latter defect should not be so apparent. V. Molesworth has succeeded T. E. Phelan in the secretarial position. At present the Westerners are training at the Ashfield Recreation Ground, but Pratten Park will be their headquarters in a few weeks.

NORTH SYDNEY.

The shoremen's officials are not boasting of captures, but are none the less hopeful of their chances. E. Hucker and J. Davis will be amongst the losses, but there is every prospect that S. Deane will return from Oldham before the season is far advanced. The greatly-improved Berecry will be one of the side's most valuable assets, and N. Macfarlane, a second-grade half-back, is a player of considerable promise. C. Sullivan will have a good lot of forwards to keep him company. North Sydney should certainly win more than four games this season.

BALMAIN.

That a thirteen which contained C. Fraser, J. Hickey, D. Wright, A. Holloway, R. R. Craig, and R. Graves should occupy lowest position in the premiership table, and win only three games last year, was surprising, and it is hardly expected that such a poor performance will be repeated. J. Hickey and D. Wright will be lost to the back division. A. Johnstone, who was recruited from the Union near the close of last year, should, with A. Holloway, make a formidable pair of half-backs. C. Fraser injured his foot on the voyage from England, and may be unable to play for some time, but there are some able juniors coming along for positions in the rearguard. The forwards will again be a hard, rushing lot. With careful attention to training, and more method in their work, the Balmain team should occupy a high position this winter.

On Friday evening Western Suburbs Club tendered a welcome home smoke concert to E. Courtney in Ashfield Town Hall. A varied and attractive programme was submitted by leading artists.

THE AUSTRALIAN GAME.

ENTHUSIASTIC GATHERINGS.

The Young Australian League (as originally constructed in 1903) ceased to exist on the 10th inst. Its closing hours were marked by general rejoicing rather than tinged with evidences of regret, for it ended its sphere of usefulness in the interests of a forward movement, and it thereby gives an opportunity to reconstruct a "Y.A.L." with a constitution that will be in closer touch with boys at school.

Mr. A. E. Nash performed the last act in the movement by presenting to the Newtown II. the premiership medals of 1911. It was then moved, seconded, and carried unanimously, that the carefully-drafted constitution of the "New South Wales Football Association, Second Grade" take the place of the defunct body. Several congratulatory speeches followed, and the new body entered on its first year with the brightest prospects of producing a new grade which will be the future recruiting ground of the senior teams. Eight clubs enter the competition, and in July next a team selected from these will be sent to Adelaide to play against the South Australian Football Association. The match will be played on the Adelaide Oval, and, to mark the new order of things, the South Australian League intends to cancel all senior matches on that day so as to allow the Sydney boys to play before a big gate. A week-day match has also been arranged for the New South Wales visiting team.

Speaking on this matter, Mr. A. E. Nash said:—"Time was when, on visiting Melbourne or Adelaide, we were twitted with playing back numbers of other States and calling them New South Welshmen. That day is at an end. I have nothing to say against good men who come to permanently reside here, but we want no 'birds of passage,' and in 1914, when we will meet all the States at the carnival in Sydney, we expect that every man who strips for New South Wales shall, if not a native, be at least qualified by long residence. My hope is in the boys who are in the second-grade association of to-night."

On the following evening the New South Wales Football League held its annual meeting. The report, as forecasted in this column last week, was a lengthy one, and its tone almost wholly optimistic. The report showed that the League will start the 1912 season with a credit-balance of over £100; has the freehold title of the largest football ground in the State, has brought into existence a second-grade association, which stands second only to the league; and has a Young Australian League in closer touch with the schools than the preceding Y.A.L., and its schools larger in number than that of the previous year. In the circumstances, optimism, born of enthusiasm, was natural.

The president's address closely followed the line of the report, and had but one sad note in it, a reference to one who had done excellent work as coach to the N.S.W. Football League during the years 1910-11—Mr. M. Grace. "We feel it keenly," said Mr. Nash, "that one of our greatest and cleanest footballers lies an inmate of a Victorian sanatorium, a victim to consumption. This meeting would fail in its duty if it does not at a later stage do something for the man who did so much for us." It is understood that as soon as the co-operation of the Victorian League is secured, the New South Wales body will vote a sum of money towards its late coach.

Mr. H. Webb, who is honorary treasurer of the Western Australian Football League, and who is on a holiday trip to Sydney, was present at the local league's annual meeting, and gave some interesting information as to the progress of the game in the western State. "Last year our final," he said, "was played two miles out of Perth, but, nevertheless it produced £326, a by no means bad record for a city much below the population of Sydney."

The newly-constructed Young Australian League will meet to-night to receive its constitution. It is intended to reduce the age limit to 18 years, so that boys at school, and thos ewho have just left school, but who are too youthful for the association team, may enter its ranks. Newtown have already a team in the field, selected mostly from the boys of Erskineville and Newtown schools. Their secretary is H. Elliott, formerly Cleveland-street School's Rugby champion, and Mr. G. Petrie, North Sydney's delegate to the senior league, announced on Thursday evening that he has 24 boys ready to enrol in the Y.A.L. This gentleman, who last year gave general satisfaction as a central umpire, has decided not to officiate this year, as he intends to devote his spare time to official work with the North Sydney team.

BRITISH ASSOCIATION.

THE FRENCH PROPOSAL.

The proposal received from Bordeaux, France, for a tour of Australia by a French team—referred to in Friday's "Herald"—is at least unique. The tour would, at the present juncture, probably prove more of a novelty than a financial success, though the influx of British emigrants is certain to make a considerable difference before very long in the number of association football adherents in this country. As there is also a greater tendency evident on the part of the public school teachers to allow "soccer" into the schools, the prospects for the future popularity of the game may be regarded as being favourable. Before international matches can be arranged with any degree of success, however, it appears necessary that a system of regular interstate games should become firmly established. Of course if some benevolent millionaire by any chance guarantees all parties against loss, there could not be any objection to an international tour, here and now. It would in all probability leave its mark as an educational factor and an influence towards added interest. Otherwise, the Australian associations, no doubt, feel compelled to move slowly.

A glance at the balance-sheets of the Auckland and Wellington (N.Z.) Football Associations indicates earnest endeavours to secure home grounds. At Auckland, a sum of money has been set aside for a "ground account," and is augmented when possible, while at Wellington a deposit of £225 has been paid on six and a half acres on behalf of "The Association Football Grounds Company, Ltd." to be formed. The time is ripe for some scheme whereby a home ground might be secured for the New South Wales Football Association.

Mr. R. T. Black, in whose hands the organising in connection with schools' football is placed, has been successful in starting the game in a number of suburban schools which have not hitherto taken it seriously. It is an excellent recreation for schoolboys, and one that should be received with much favour by all concerned.

Entries, which may be forwarded through Mr. S. Lynch, Sports Club, will close on April 30 for the South Coast Cup competition, in which all matches are played in the South Coast district. Sydney teams will be allowed £1 10s per match as travelling expenses.

ENTRIES FOR THE COMPETITIONS.

The following entries have been received for the first and second league competitions controlled by the New South Wales Football Association:—First League: Balmain (2), Canterbury, Glebe (2), Granville, The Navy (2), Newtown, Northern Suburbs, Police Club, Sydney, West Sydney, Y.M.C.A. Second League: Balmain (2), Botany, Burns' Anniversary Club, Callan Park, Glebe, The Navy, Northern Suburbs, Olympic Club, Scottish Rifles, Sydney (2), Ultimo Church, Y.M.C.A., Gladesville Hospital.

Practice matches will be played on Saturday next, and the competitions will commence on May 4, for which date the Sydney Cricket Ground has been secured.

Although the attendance at Easton Park on the occasion of the Condon Benefit Match was very satisfactory, the amount collected was necessarily not so large as might have been obtained on a "gate-money" ground. The interest taken in the match, however, augurs well for future "gates."

LACROSSE.

THE APPROACHING SEASON.

The season to be commenced by the association on May 4 gives promise of being a record one, if one may judge by the great enthusiasm being displayed by the rank and file, and the abnormally large entry of teams for the various competitions. The Easter holidays over, lacrosse players are busy training in anticipation of a strenuous season, and practice matches between clubs are taking place. Nine A grade, 11 B grade, and three C grade (in all 23 teams) will take part in this season's competitions. This represents a gain of six teams on last year's total. All of last season's teams are again represented, with the exception of Burwood. It is to be regretted that this club, which has for many years been the mainstay of the association, and turned out many fine players, should have disbanded.

At the Adelaide conference in 1910 it was decided that a carnival be held every two years, a postal vote of the associations being taken as to the venue. This season the Victorian Association is undertaking the fixture, and the secretary has advised that the carnival will take place from August 10 to 17. All the States (including Tasmania) will be represented, and with the cream of the lacrosse fraternity assembled in Melbourne, some stirring and scientific contests are anticipated. Additional interest has been attached to the fixture by reason of the fact that two prominent Victorian supporters have presented a Challenge Cup, to be held yearly by the champion State.

The Victorian Association's annual report shows that the game is going ahead by leaps and bounds in Melbourne, and country towns are taking it up enthusiastically. Special mention is made of the visit of the Petersham boys team, and the hope is expressed that such reciprocal visits will continue.

The association is particularly fortunate this season as regards grounds, and no difficulty is anticipated in this direction.

Very little has been done so far in connection with the schools; but a strong committee has been appointed, and by the commencement of the season it is hoped that at least five strong teams will take the field.

ANGLING.

THE COMING OF THE ANGLER.

The main topic of conversation this week has been Mr. J. Spencer's catch of a sixteen pound schnapper on fine hand-line tackle at Cowan Creek. The merit of the catch lies in the skilful handling of such a heavy fighting fish on a silk line closely resembling a No. 24 twist, but bought by Mr. Spencer as a 30, and no doubt honestly believed by its seller to be such. The holding medium was only as strong as its weakest part, but this appeared to be a good line right through, and the length of fine Japanese gut was no stronger than the line. Perhaps the most remarkable part of the feat was the holding of such a fish on a black-bream hook. Mr. Spencer, who is very well known in aquatic circles, must have exercised the most delicate tension, and his performance comes close to that of Mr. G. Hollingdale, who a few years ago landed a 20lb jewfish on a No. 30 in the current of the Hawkesbury.

Some question has arisen as to how one may determine the number of a silk-twist. Roughly, it may be ascertained by weighing a line. No. 12s go six to the ounce, No. 14s seven, and so on to No. 30. It takes 15 No. 30's to weigh an ounce. The definition does not always work out exactly the same, on account of the different qualities and makes of the silk, but it is substantially correct.

The day of the hand-liner is steadily receding, and clever accomplishments need to be remembered, for in ten years' time handlining will be almost entirely superseded by rod-fishing. Five or six years ago numbers of men now skilled in the use of the rod might have been heard to declare that they would never take on rod-fishing. They changed their ideas when they found rod-fishermen beating them on the beaches and the rocky shores of estuaries where black-bream lurk. It cannot be counted against them that they have been false to their old love. They have simply shown that they are adaptable and non-conservative.

Shore fishermen last week had some pleasant days on the ocean rocks, but Saturday's westerly, which swung round to the south, settled their week-end expectations, and, apart from the fact that a heavy sea was knocked up, the change to a cold southerly put the fish down into the deeper parts, and they would not touch baited food.

The bar across the mouth of Narrabeen Lake was cut through last week, and there was at once a good flow to the sea from the swilling lake. Hundreds of people with baskets and hand nets went to the mouth to catch the fish that usually accompany the outpouring; but the expected did not happen. The fish did not go out to the extent anticipated, and a few mullet and tailer, and a large number of prawns were the chief rewards of the waiting throng. Since the lake has been restored to its old condition as a tidal area, the beach fishing at the mouth has naturally improved, and on Sunday whiting and mullet entered freely with the rising tide.

Only two more weeks of the open trout-fishing season remain for fly-fishers. Some of the Tumut experts have been trying the Goobragandra—no relation of the Goodradigbee, but otherwise known as the Big River—with satisfactory results. The fish are reported to be already heavily roed, and as there are plenty of gravelly ripples in the upper waters of the stream the deposition of ova should be substantial. It is not known yet with exactitude how long it takes for the ova to hatch out under natural conditions right along the tablelands, the climatic range being so large.

BOXING.

The annual State amateur boxing and wrestling tournament just concluded emphasises the fact that the competitors in both sections were a remarkably even lot in point of merit, and, whilst no competitor stood out from his fellows in the same division, they were all possessed of rather more than average skill.

The wrestlers, who, for the most part, were men who had previously competed in similar events in past years, were a beautiful lot physically, and showed development much above the average. As a matter of fact, it would be difficult to find a similar number of men at the respective weights who could make a more attractive showing from a purely physical point of view. Their work, while quite up to the ordinary amateur standard, could not be called altogether attractive. There seemed to be too great a tendency towards scrambling about on the mat to legitimate wrestling. It was noticeable, too, that the competitors were too cautious, and time after time neglected to follow up opportunities which, if grasped with alacrity, would have resulted in certain victory.

A somewhat different state of affairs prevailed in the boxing section. The competitors were, almost without exception, a very poor lot physically, and showed little or no muscular development. Judged from the point of view of the physical culturist, they were about the weediest lot that have competed of late years. Still, so far as skill went, they were very even.

Practically all the competitors showed that they had been more or less influenced by the methods of the American contingent who have of late invaded Australia. All the faults of the Americans were here reproduced in glaring form, while scarcely any of their merits were displayed. One thing that they have done, however, is to make our men more aggressive.

To sum up, we have little, if anything, to thank the American boxers for. Our amateurs have contracted practically nothing but faults from a study of their methods, and, judging by the harm they have already done Australian boxing, and the firm hold their methods seem to have taken on the local men, it seems fair to assume that unless instant attention be directed to the matter Australian boxing will be put back 10 years, or even more.

The Gaiety Athletic Club management have succeeded in matching Jack Read and Frank Thorn. As Mehegan is leaving for America, this contest will be to all intents and purposes for the resident lightweight title. The date assigned for the fixture is April 30.

Sam Fitzpatrick, who acted as manager for Jack Johnson, writes that he has unearthed a wonderful lightweight named Tommy Coleman, of Philadelphia, and that he is prepared to match him against any lightweight in the world.

Sam M'Vea and Sam Langford have signed up for another contest at the Stadium on May 11, and as they have each scored a victory on points over the other in this country, the latest contest may be regarded in the light of a deciding one.

FIXTURES.

The Stadium: Saturday, April 20, Jim Barry v Dan Flynn, 8.30.

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FURNITURE, ETC.

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SCOTT MEMORIAL HOSPITAL, SCONE. TENDERS are invited for the Erection of New Buildings, and will be received by the Architect not later than Noon, on MONDAY, APRIL 29th. Plans and specification can be seen, and Bills of Quantities obtained, on application to either J. D. STAFFORD, Esq., Scone; or to W. L. VERNON, F.R.I.B.A., Architect, Challis House, Sydney.

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Sydney Harbour Trust Office, Circular Quay, 26th March, 1912. TENDERS FOR BOOKSTALL AND TOBACCO-STALL RIGHTS ON FERRY JETTIES. TENDERS will be received at this office up to 2 p.m. on MONDAY, the 22nd proximo, for the right of placing Bookstalls and Tobacco-stalls on the undermentioned Ferry Jetties for a term of three (3) years from the 1st August, 1912:— Nos. 1, 3, 4, 5, 6, and 7 Jetties, Circular Quay; Balmain New Ferry Company's Jetty (No. 17), foot of Erskine-street. And for similar rights in respect of No. 2 Jetty, Circular Quay; save that in this instance the Tobacco-stall Rights shall apply only for the period 1st January, 1913, to 31st July, 1915. Forms of Tender and full particulars may be obtained upon application at this office. HAROLD F. NORRIE, Secretary. (Ts-66)

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HANDSOME Bay Pony, 4 yrs., stylish, sad., harn., sound, excep. quiet, trial. 22 Bridge-rd, Campdn.

BAY Gelding, 5 years, would suit tradesman's cart, any trial. 22 Bridge-rd, Camperdown.

FOR Sale, cheap, Brick Dray, also Light Tipcart, good order. 22 Bridge-rd, Camperdown.

SPRING Dray, in perf. ord., stanch Draught Mare, Harness, any trial, cheap. 452 Bourke-st, Surry H.

TWELVE-HAND Pony Mare, 4 years, Sulky, set Harness, nly. new, £20 lot, cheap. 41 City-rd, Darl.

DEALER'S Van, reliable Horse, set Harness, any trial, £14 lot, cheap. 41 City-rd, Darlington.

FOR Sale, Black Harness Horse, trial, after 4 p.m. 208 Hereford-st, Forest Lodge.

SALE, Light Brougham Cab (licensed), also set of Cab Harness, Hiles-st, off McEvoy-st, Alexandria.

EXPRESS Cov. Waggon, rel. Horse, set Harness, any trial, £16 lot, cheap. 41 City-rd, Darlington.

JERSEY COW, quiet, rich milk, going away, must sell. 7 Frederick-st, Ashfield.

FOR Sale, 1 Horse, Tip-dray, and Harness. J. McDonald, Fairlight-st, Five Dock.

VERY Stylish Black Pony Mare, Rubber-tyred Sulky, in good order. 452 Bourke-st, Surry Hills.

BUTCHER'S Order Cart, nearly new, stylish Pony Mare, Harness, trial, chp. 492 Bourke-st, Surry H.

MUST Sell, Nuggety Pony, 5 years, new Sulky, and Harness, Northern Club Hotel, Geo.-st, opp. Hord.

CLEARING-OUT SALE of Horses and Vehicles, every description. 585 George-st, opp. Horderns'.

MUST Sell, Nuggety Mare, Square Van, Harness, £18. Don, Fruiterer, George-st, opp. Horderns'.

MUST Sell, best Tipcart Turnout in Sydney, any trial, £40. 112 Glebe-st, Glebe.

SINGLE-HORSE Lorry Turnout, ton trial, £30 lot, cheap. 41 City-rd, Darlington.

QUIET young Cow, first calf, for Sale, cheap. E. Brown, Joseph-st, Rookwood.

FOR Sale, Horse, Sulky, Har., £13; 14.2 Pony, Sulky, and Harn., £30. Geoghegan, L'pool-rd, Bankstown.

COW, second calf, model, 14 quarts, trial, very quiet. My Bungalow, Greenhill-st, Croydon.

TIPCART, rel. heavy Horse, set new Harness, ton trial, £26 lot, cheap. 41 City-rd, Darlington.

PONY COB, 14 h., 4 years, ther. sound, quiet, stylish, cheap. Boccacio, Croydon-avenue, Croydon.

COW, Jersey, heifer calf at foot, young, quiet, 15 qts. r. milk, £16. R. Clarke, William-st, Canterb'y.

FOR Sale, Pagnel Cart, nearly new, at Ibbotson's, Coachbuilder, 480 King-st, Newtown.

SALE, splendid Van Horse, 4 years, good mover, any trial. R. Pritchard, Auburn-rd, Auburn.

SALE, rel. Creamy Mare, suit farm, £7; splendid Sulky Pony, 3y., trial. R. Pritchard, Aub.-rd, Aub.

FOR Sale, brand new Van, suit furniture delivery. Apply H. Lucock, Canterbury.

STYLISH young Pony Sulky Turnout, suit lady, cheap. J. Ellis, Elm and Park rds, Auburn.

FOR Sale, 3-spring Sulky, nearly new, no reasonable offer refused. Apply 86 Harris-st, Pyrmont.

FOR SALE, large dry Cow, in good condition. Eldridge, Bedford-st, Forest Hill, Canterbury.

HORSE, Harness, and Sulky, in splendid condition. Apply F. S. Harrower, Agent, Lakemba.

VILLAGE CART, reliable Pony, set Harness, any trial, £12 lot, cheap. 41 City-rd, Darlington.

TWO good Jersey Heifers, 3 days calved, rich milkers, and very quiet. Fogarty, 128 Cathedral-st.

PONY, 14h., stylish, Sulky, Harness, suit lady or gent., £15. 100 Palmer-st, off Oxford-st.

FOR Sale, Mare, Sulky, and Harn.; mare suit light van. 123 Ernest-st, North Sydney. Any trial.

TWO Heavy Draught Horses, used to ploughing, suit farm, £7 each, trials. 41 City-rd, Darlington.

STANCH Draught HORSE, pull 2 tons, £9, council contract. 70 Simmons-st, Enmore.

FOR SALE, PONY, SULKY, HARNESS, £14 lot. Clifton House, Simmons-st, Enmore.

GOOD Dray Turnout, with constant work, £3 15s weekly, week's trial. 60 Campbell-st.

NEW Tipdray, £10. Farmers and Settlers' Depot, 412A Pitt-st, Haymarket.

NICE Creamy Pony, Sulky, Harness, week's trial, £12. 412A Pitt-st, Haymarket.

CASH or Time-payment.—Nice Pony, Van, Harness, £30. 40 Campbell-st, Haymarket.

FOR SALE, strong, active Van, roan Mare, 1 ton trial. Bef. 9.30 to-day. 41 Chelsea-st, Redfern.

FOR SALE, Open Van, Horse, Harness, good cond., any trial. Mayo Cottage, Petersham-rd, M'ville.

GOOD Heavy Bay Horse for Sale, cheap, must sell, any trial. 70 Marlborough-st, Surry Hills.

FOR SALE, Silver-mounted Sulky, suit 14 or 15 hds. pony. Acme Laundry, Marrickville-rd, M'kville.

GOOD Saddle and Harness Mare, 15 hds., heavy in foal, £7. Trial. 338 Edgeware-rd, Newtown.

CHILD'S PONY, 11 hds., fat, quiet, £2; thick-set Mare, suit farm, £4. 147 Lord-st, Newtown.

BAY GELDING, 15 hds., stanch, quiet, any trial, £5 10s. 338 Edgeware-rd, Newtown.

CLEARING.—50 Square Tanks, Troughs, miles Waterpipe, Winches, Wire Rope, bargains. 34 Liverpool-st.

FOR SALE, Straight-shaft Sulky, in good order, cheap. 159 Liverpool-rd, Ashfield. T., 631.

FOR SALE, First-class Double-seated Buggy, in good condition. 167 Victoria-rd, Marrickville.

BAY HORSE, suit van, £8. 185 Marrickville-rd, Marrickville.

FOR SALE, 2 Tipcart Turnouts, in gd. order. Apply Brewster, c.o. Hunter, Elizabeth-st, Zetland.

DEALER'S Turnout, stanch Horse, and Har., lot £12, any trial. Stables, back 128 George-st West.

GROCER'S Cart, Horse, and Har., gd. lot, £15, tog. or separate. Stables, back 128 George-st West.

LORRY, light, Single Horse, £15; Horse, to suit, ton trial, £8. Stables, back 128 George-st West.

STYLISH Sulky Turnout, first-class turnout, £20. Stables, back 128 George-st West.

SALE, Chestnut GELDING, 14 hds., 4yrs, fast and stylish, cheap. Quigley, Renwick-st, nr. Tempe stn.

SALE, 1 Dealer's VAN, in good order, £5 10s. A. Quigley, Renwick-st, near Tempe station.

TWENTY Horses and Mares, £2 each. 44 Kensington-st, off George-st West.

HORSES, VEHICLES, LIVE STOCK.

TEN MARES, Horses, and Ponies, fr. £8; 50 Vehicles of every description; Single and Double Lorries, from £25; Light 'Buses, from £18; Covered Waggons, £15; Spring Vans, Dealers' Vans, Butchers' Carts, Milk Carts, Order Carts; 10 Sulkies, every description, from £10; New Tray Sulkies, £14; Sociables, Double Buggies; Ice-cream Cart, £10.
212 Goulburn-street, near Riley-street, Surry Hills.

CENTRAL RAILWAY SALEYARDS.—10 Mares and Horses, suit any business; Covered Waggon Turnout, £24; Vehicles of every description; Tipdrays, Springdrays, Dealers' Vans, Village Carts, Order Carts, Milkcarts, Single and Double Lorries, Light 'Buses, Sociables, Buggies, Sulkies.
No. 90 Chalmers-street, late Castlereagh-street, top of Railway Subway, opposite Exhibition Buildings.

LORRIES, New and Second-hand, cheap; Light 'Bus, £12; Spring, Timber, Tip, and Farm Drays; Butchers', Hawkers', Grocers', Spring, and Milk Carts; New and Second-hand Sulkies, every description; 20 Horses, Mares. SQUARE and COMPASS SALEYARDS, 706 George-street, Haymarket.

TEN New Sulkies, from £14; handsome 4-wheel Dogcart, £28; Angus Reversible Phaeton, £28; also 2 sound yng. Harness Mares, 3 and 4 yrs., 13-hd. Pony. 212 Goulburn-street, near Riley-street, Surry Hills.

CHESTNUT GELDING, tray sulky, har., any trial, ch. Blacksmith, cnr. Oxford-st and Jersey-rd, Padd.

SALE, Creamy PONY, 12.2, fast, quiet, lady can drive, young, cheap. A. Lewis, Meeks-rd, Marrickville.

MUST SELL, 13-hands PONY SULKY TURNOUT. 90 Chalmers-st, top of Railway Subway.

FOR SALE, 10 Heavy Draught MARES. Square and Compass Saleyards, 706 George-st.

VILLAGE Cart, nrly. new, rel. horse, har., any trial, £14 lot, cheap. 88 Derwent-st, Glebe.

THICK-SET Bay GELDING bent-shaft sulky, har., ch. Blacksmith, cnr. Oxford-st and Jersey-rd, Padd.

MUST SELL, Double-pole LORRY. 90 Chalmers-st, top of Railway Subway, opp. Exhibition.

SACRIFICE, first-class 14-hds. Pony Sulky Turnout. Apply No. 111 Mitchell-st, Glebe, off Glebe-rd.

FOR SALE, 1 Bay GELDING, aged 5. Apply 181 Arundel-st, Forest Lodge.

NEW Village Cart Mare and Harness, cheap. Towers Hotel, George-st West, opp. Fire Station.

LIGHT 3-spring Pagnal Cart, gd. order, rel. horse, har., trial, £14, cheap. 88 Derwent-st, Glebe.

NEW and Sec.-h. tray str. and bent-shaft sulkies ch. Blacksmith, cnr. Oxford-st and Jersey-rd, Padd.

BROUGHAM CARR. (Hooker), gd. order, cost £150, must be sold, £12 10s. 136 Reservoir-st, S. Hills.

SALE or Exch., 4yrs chestnut Mare, broken sad., suit milit. P. Bresnager, Springdale-rd, Killara, N.S. L.

HORSE, Tipdray, and Har., £15, good work. 44 Kensington-st, off George-st West.

COVERED WAGGON, Horse, and Har., suit country, £12. 44 Kensington-st, off George-st West.

PONY, SULKY and HAR., lot £5. 44 Kensington-st, off George-st West.

LIGHT-HOODED Buggy, also nearly new rub.-tyred sulky, sell cheap. 88 Derwent-st, Glebe.

WANTED, to let out Pony and Sulky, suit traveller. Apply Ralston, 27 Elizabeth-st.

WANTED, ½-shaft Sulky, about 56in wheels, with brake, light, strong. AJAX, Burwood P.O.

WANTED, good light Second-hand SULKY, suit 14 hands pony, cheap. Price and particulars to Sulky, P.O., Stanmore.

WANTED Buy, quiet Pony, about 11 hands, must be used to children. A. M. Scott, 24 Bond-st, city.

WANTED to Buy, 1 Second-hand Sarven Wheel, 5ft 4in. 73 Glebe-rd.

WANTED, very quiet and rel. Pony Turnout, geld., suit. for lady. Pr., parts., Hugo, Herald, King-st.

WANTED, a Pony, about 14 hands, suit light builder's cart. E. Brown, Joseph-st, Rookwood.

WANTED, active Pony, 13 or 13 hds., abt. £10, Para., or apply Ephalia, 2 Prospect-st, Leichhardt.

WANTED, good PONY, 14 hands, fast, quiet, star vet. Cran, Herald Office.

WANTED, 11-hand PONY MARE or TURNOUT, condition no object. 32 Kippax-st, Surry Hills.

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EGGS.—1000 doz., or part, for Sale, cold storage. Submit offer, Eggs, Herald Office.

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AT STUD, Yorkshire Terrier (Ch.), Crown King (imp.). Crown Jewel, £1 1s. 284 Crown-st, Dlhst.

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FOR Sale, Yorkshire Terriers, Syd. Silkies, Bulldogs; Pup, pure-bred, Chief. 101 Cathedral-st, city.

CIRCULAR AVIARY, 10ft diameter, 10ft high, portable, for sale. Next Railway Station, Marrickville.

LAKEMBA.—40 Pairs FOWLS, incubator, must be sold. Apply F. S. Harrower, Agent.

WANTED TO BUY, pair Scotch Fancy CANARIES. State price, H.W., 571 Dowling-st.

BULLDOG, at stud, most successful stud dog for winning stock. The Joker, 'Phone, City 1096.

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SCOTTISH TERRIER DOG for Sale, excellent watch. John Battie and Sons, Castlereagh-st.

AT STUD, Yorkshire Terrier, Sir Realm, fee £1 1s; Pups for Sale. 42 Cumberland-st, city.

ENGLISH Setters, 9 mos., by Ch. Young Grouse, 1st, 2nd H. Sh., for Sale. A. G. Sewell, 78 Hunter-st, Sy.

AUCTION SALES.

INGLIS'S BAZAAR, THIS DAY.

WILLIAM INGLIS and SON will sell by auction, at their Bazaar, THIS DAY, at 10.30 sharp, Vans, Springcarts, Horses, and Harness; Draught Horses, Tipcarts, Horses, and Harness; and at 11 a.m., Horses and Vehicles of every description, specially advertised. Tel., 1331.

SPRING VAN TURNOUT.

WILLIAM INGLIS and SON have received instructions from Mr. Geo. Beale to sell by auction, at their Bazaar, THIS DAY, at 11.30 a.m.,
Bay Gelding, 6yrs., 16 hands, suit cab; Sp. Van, and Harness.

SUPERIOR SULKY TURNOUT.

WILLIAM INGLIS and SON have received instructions from Mr. Wm. Brown to sell by auction, at their Bazaar, THIS DAY, at 11.30 a.m.,
Bay Pony Gelding, broken to harness; Sulky, and Set Harness.

HIGH-CLASS CANADIAN DOGCART.

WILLIAM INGLIS and SON have received instructions from Mr. J. H. Booker to sell by auction, at their Bazaar, THIS DAY, at 11.30 a.m.,
High-class 4-wheeled Dogcart, by Vial (undercut), rubber tyres, upholstered seats.

12.2 PONY DOGCART TURNOUT. LIGHT BUTTER CART AND HARN., ETC, ETC.

WILLIAM INGLIS and SON have received instructions to sell by auction, at their Bazaar, THIS DAY, at 11.30 a.m.,
12.2 Pony, quiet to trams; Superior Dogcart, and Harness; also Light Butcher's Cart (suit butter run), and Set Harness; Pony Collars, Breastplates, Boy's Pony Saddle, etc. No Reserve.

ONE BRICK DRAY, ONE TIP DRAY.

WILLIAM INGLIS and SON have received instructions to sell by auction, at their Bazaar, THIS DAY, at 11.30 a.m.,
The above, in good order.

BROWN GELDING, BENT-SHAFT SULKY, AND HARNESS; CREAM GELDING, TROTTING JINKER, AND HARNESS.

WILLIAM INGLIS and SON have received instructions to sell by auction, at their Bazaar, THIS DAY, at 11.30 a.m.,
The above.

TO TROTTING MEN AND OTHERS.

WILLIAM INGLIS and SON have received instructions from Mr. J. PRENDERGAST, to sell by auction, at their Bazaar, THIS DAY, at 11.30 a.m.,
Steel Grey Pony, 13.2, 4yrs., broken to sadd. and har., first-class Trotting Road Sulky and Har.; OXBRO, Trotting Stallion, rising 2yrs, sire Tuxedo (imp.), dam Fashion, handled to lead; winner of 2nd prize present R. A. Show.
WALLY M., Bay Trotting Gelding, 6yrs, record 2.40, broken to saddle, pedigree at sale.

CHESTNUT VAN HORSE.

WILLIAM INGLIS and SON have received instructions from Mr. F. Douglas, Bay View, to sell by auction, at their Bazaar, THIS DAY, at 12 o'clock,
Chestnut Active Van Gelding, used to plough; ton trial.

2 CHES. SAD. AND HAR. HORSES.

WILLIAM INGLIS and SON have received instructions from Mr. S. Smith, to sell by auction, at their Bazaar, THIS DAY, at 12 o'clock,
2 Chestnut Geldings, 6yrs., broken to sad., S. and D. Harness.

RELIABLE 14 HANDS PONY.

WILLIAM INGLIS and SON have received instructions from Mr. R. Hardy to sell by auction, at their Bazaar, THIS DAY, at 12 o'clock,
Dk. Ches. Pony, 4yrs., quiet and reliable in sad. or har.

TWO SUPERIOR PONIES.

WILLIAM INGLIS and SON have received instructions from Mr. M. Redden to sell by auction, at their Bazaar, THIS DAY, at 12 o'clock,
Chestnut Pony, 4yrs., 13.1, thoroughly broken to sad. and har., lady can drive; by the imp. Arab sire Tirah from Lady Chester; Chestnut Mare, 13.2, thoroughly quiet and reliable in saddle.

HIGH-CLASS PONY AND TROTTING HORSE.

WILLIAM INGLIS and SON have received instructions from Mr. Jack Walker to sell by auction, at their Bazaar, THIS DAY, at 12 o'clock,
Very stylish Bay Cob Pony Gelding, 13.3, by Belmont, splendid stepper, quiet and reliable; Bay Gelding, 4 yrs., by Login Briton (imp.), broken to sad. and har., should make a fast trotting horse.

OCEAN BEACH FRONTAGES, NEWPORT.
NEXT SATURDAY.
Special Motor leaves our Office 10 a.m., Sale Day. Return Tickets 5/. Special Coaches meet at Manly steamers leaving Quay 10 a.m., 12.30, 1 p.m., 1.30 p.m. Return 2/. Tickets and plans from INTERCOLONIAL INVESTMENT CO., Ltd., 14 Moore-st, RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd., 98 Pitt-street.

AUCTION SALES.

THOROUGHBRED BROOD MARE AND FOAL.

WILLIAM INGLIS and SON have received instructions to sell by auction, at their Bazaar, THIS DAY, at 12 o'clock,
METAL BELLE, bay mare (1906), by Young Metal from Bell Ami, by Splendor (imp.), foal at foot by Kiss Me, and served by him again.

COACHING STALLION.

WILLIAM INGLIS and SON have received instructions from Mr. H. Grey to sell by auction, at their Bazaar, THIS DAY, at 12 o'clock,
UNTARIO, Dap. Grey Coaching Stallion, foaled 1903, sire Toronto, by Texas, dam Try Me, by Marillethon.

BROWN SADDLE AND HARNESS HORSE.

WILLIAM INGLIS and SON have received instructions to sell by auction, at their Bazaar, THIS DAY, at 12 o'clock,
Brown Gelding, 6 yrs., broken to sad., s. and d. harness.

ACTIVE VAN OR SPRINGCART HORSE.

WILLIAM INGLIS and SON have received instructions to sell by auction, at their Bazaar, THIS DAY, at 12 o'clock,
Bay Gelding, broken to harness; been working in meat waggon.

TRADESMAN'S HORSE.

WILLIAM INGLIS and SON have received instructions to sell by auction, at their Bazaar, THIS DAY, at 12 o'clock,
Bay Mare, stanch worker; suit tradesman's cart work.

PACING STALLION.

WILLIAM INGLIS and SON have received instructions from Mr. W. PERRY, Jun., to sell by auction, at their Bazaar, THIS DAY, at 12 o'clock,
Dark Bay Pacing Stallion, by Tuxedo; broken to harness. Pedigree at sale.

CAMPERDOWN YARDS.
THIS DAY, WEDNESDAY, AT 2 P.M.
80 HIGH-CLASS HORSES, AND 16 CHOICE PONY BROOD MARES.

WILLIAM INGLIS and SON have received instructions to sell by auction, as above,
On account Mr. A. T. PEARSE.
Ches. Active Draught Gelding, broken to harness, suit van.

On account Mr. R. BENTLEY.
Dark Ches. Draught Gelding, broken to harness.

On account Mr. R. WALKER, Bowral.
Brown Draught Gelding, 5 years, thoroughly broken to all harness, a champion leader and fast walker, suit tipdray or heavy van.

On account Mr. B. F. AURISCH.
3 Reliable Harness Horses, been working in waggon, including a champion leader.

On account Owner.
Black Mare, 6 years, broken to harness.
Grey Mare, 6 years, broken to sad. and harness.

On account Mr. D. McCLURE, New Zealand.
3 HEAVY DRAUGHT FILLIES, 2, 3, and 4 YEARS OLD.

On account Mr. GEO. G. KISS, Clydesdale, Marsden Park.
25 GOOD USEFUL CLASS WELL-BRED HARNESS HORSES, all 4 and 5 years old, a few broken to saddle and harness, the balance handled to lead; suitable for business carts, butchers and bakers, buggy and hackney use.

Also,
16 Choice Brood Mares, by Logan Briton (imp.), Merv (imp.) Some with foals at foot.
The above are a high-class lot, and include several MARES with FOALS AT FOOT to the well-known sires REMUS and the CHAMPION TROTTING PONY CLYEDO, and SEVERAL STINTED again; also included in the lot is
EDO, a full-sister to Clyedo, and the dam of the trotting pony, Daledo, whose record is 2.30.
Full particulars at sale.

On account Mr. WM. MOXHAM, Wylie's Flat, Singleton.
25 HIGH-CLASS HORSES, comprising
Heavy and Medium Draughts and strong good-quality Light Horses, all 4 and 5 years old, broken and unbroken.
***THE ABOVE ARE ADVISED BY MR. MOXHAM AS A SPECIALLY GOOD CONSIGNMENT, INCLUDING THE WELL-KNOWN ZR BRAND; ALSO 4 GREY LORRY HORSES, SUITABLE FOR BREWERS OR MILLERS' WAGGONS.

On account Mr. JOHN PERRY, Guyra.
14 VERY FINE HEAVY AND ACTIVE DRAUGHT FILLIES, MARES, and COLTS, all 4 and 5 years old, in the pink of condition, broken and unbroken.
Included in the lot is a CHESTNUT GELDING, 6yrs, an exceptionally good near-side leader; also 2 VERY FINE MARES, suit lorry or any other class of very heavy work.
*** MR. PERRY DESCRIBES THESE AS A TIP-TOP LOT OF WELL-GROWN DRAUGHTS, SUITABLE FOR BREWERS, MILLERS, and HEAVY CARRIERS' WORK. BUYERS IN WANT OF REALLY FIRST-CLASS HORSES SHOULD NOT FAIL TO ATTEND THE SALE.

On account of Mr. T. F. PRATLEY, Bathurst.
10 HEAVY and MEDIUM DRAUGHTS and STRONG HARNESS HORSES, all 4 to 6 years old, principally broken in.
Among the lot is an EXTRA GOOD DAPPLE-GREY HEAVY DRAUGHT GELDING, 5 YEARS OLD, A POWERFUL SHAFTER AND GREAT PULLER. VERY HIGHLY RECOMMENDED.

On account of Mr. AUSTIN SMITH.
4 Superior Heavy Draught Horses, in hard-feed condition.

On account Mr. JOS. HOFFMAN.
Bay Heavy Draught Gelding, Bay Heavy Draught Mare, both broken in, used to tipcart work.

On account Mr. JOHN CLARK.
Stylish Brown Gelding, suit sulky or springcart.

TO DAIRYMEN AND OTHERS.
CLEARING-OUT SALE OF A FIRST-CLASS DAIRY PLANT, on the premises, PILE-STREET, ARNCLIFFE,
THIS (WEDNESDAY) AFTERNOON, AT 2.30.

WILLIAM INGLIS and SON have received instructions from Mrs. SWANBRICK to sell by auction, as above,
48 FIRST-CLASS MILCH COWS, 1 Dairy Bull, 3 stanch Harness Horses, 2 Milkcarts, Cans, Measures, etc, 1 Dray, 3 Sets of Harness, Steam Chaffcutter, Sheds, Bails, Sundries; Also Two Milk Runs.
BUYERS WILL REQUIRE TO TAKE THE TRAIN TO ARNCLIFFE, THENCE THE TRAM, AND ALIGHT AT THE END OF THE PENNY SECTION.

TO TROTTING MEN AND OTHERS.

WILLIAM INGLIS and SON have received instructions from Mr. P. Windred to sell by auction, at their Bazaar, TO-MORROW, Thursday, at 12 o'clock,
RICH CHES. HORSE, by Rebel Childe, dam Bonnie, 5yrs., 15.3, a natural pacer, untried. BOB, Bay Gelding, by Grand Childe, dam a Cardigan Mare, a natural pacer, untried. SALVA, Bay Gelding, by Salvator, 6yrs., a square trotter, a winner at Epping. Sulky (built of black ash), Harness, and Trotting Gear.

QUAY-STREET, THIS DAY, THURSDAY, at 11 a.m.

WILLIAM INGLIS and SON will sell, as above, on account of Messrs. McINTOSH BROS., Buffier, A. ANSCHAU, and others,
60 First-class MILCH COWS, in full milk, from the best dairies in the South and Hunter districts.

ST. MARYS CATTLE SALE.
FRIDAY NEXT, APRIL 19, AT 12.30.
1000 HEAD. 1000 HEAD.

WILLIAM INGLIS and SON have received instructions to sell by auction as above, when they will offer the following, viz.:—
120 STEERS, HEIFERS, and STORE COWS (half fat).
100 STORE COWS, HEIFERS, and STEERS.
50 YOUNG BULLOCKS.
60 DAIRY HEIFERS.
50 CHOICE 4-year-old BULLOCKS, good Stores, and all good colours.
15 Pure and Grade JERSEY HEIFERS, 1½ to 2 years old.
5 Pure-bred AYRSHIRE HEIFERS, in calf to a Berry Government Farm Bull.
6 Grade JERSEY HEIFERS, in calf to a Pure Jersey Bull.
1 Pedigree JERSEY BULL.
10 Choice DAIRY HEIFERS, in calf, rising 3 yrs. old, 10 YEARLING HEIFERS.
35 Newly-calved COWS, and Springing COWS and HEIFERS.
20 HEAD, comprising 8 good quality JERSEY HEIFERS, about 2 years old, 1 Yearling JERSEY BULL, 2 SPRINGERS, and 12 PODDY HEIFERS, all from choice Cows.
50 PODDY STEERS and HEIFERS.
130 MIXED CATTLE, COWS, HEIFERS, and STEERS.
120 HEAD STEERS and HEIFERS, 9 to 15 months old.
186 HEAD, comprising 50 choice DAIRY HEIFERS, 2 to 3 years old, been running with the bull.
70 DITTO, DITTO, 1½ to 2 years old, in good condition, both first-class lots; 66 Superior STEERS, 2 to 3 years old, in good condition.
40 strong, big-framed STORE COWS, good constitutions.

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We have all classes of Horses for Private Sale.

150. HORSES 150 at SINGLETON.
H. YORK and SON will conduct a sale of HORSES at the Shire Yards on FRIDAY, APRIL 26th, at 11 o'clock.
150 Head of high-class HORSES will be yarded, a large proportion being heavy draughts.
We guarantee to yard the full number, so buyers can with confidence attend the sale.
TERMS CASH.

PRODUCE SALES will be held TO-DAY as under:—
RABBITSKINS, at 9.30 a.m.
LEATHER: At the Stores of Winchcombe, Carson, Ltd., Harrison, Jones, and Devlin, Ltd., and Pitt, Son, and Badgery, Ltd., at 11.45 a.m.

AUCTION SALES.

200 HORSES.
MAITLAND YARDS. TUESDAY NEXT, APRIL 23.

J. ENRIGHT will sell by auction as above,
On Account of Mr. JACK DONOHUE, DARLING DOWNS (Q.),
100 PICKED HORSES, comprising about half the number heavy and extra heavy draught geldings and mares, all right ages, mostly broken, and ready for immediate work, balance good quality horses, suitable for van, lorry, carrier waggon, and all classes of city work.
The above lot have arrived, and undoubtedly are, for the number, the best consignment that has ever crossed at Wallangarra.
100 HORSES for Farmers off Hunter, Williams, and Paterson Rivers, comprising heavy and active geldings and ponies and horses, suitable for buggy, cab, light harness work.

AUCTIONEERS' ANNOUNCEMENT.

DEAN AND COMPANY have removed to MORE COMMODIOUS SALEROOMS, at NO. 200 CASTLEREAGH-STREET, 2 Doors South of Park-street, WHERE THEY WILL IN FUTURE CONDUCT THEIR BUSINESS.
DEAN AND COMPANY, Successors to S. H. HARRIS AND COMPANY.

G. R.
WEDNESDAY, APRIL 24, 1912,
AT ROYAL EDWARD VICTUALLING YARD, DARLING ISLAND, PYRMONT, AT 11 O'CLOCK SHARP.
Under instructions from THE VICTUALLING STORE OFFICER,
SALE BY AUCTION of SURPLUS AND OLD STORES.

DEAN AND COMPANY (Auctioneers by appointment to H.M. Naval Establishments at Sydney), have received instructions to conduct the above Sale by Auction at ROYAL EDWARD VICTUALLING YARD, DARLING ISLAND, PYRMONT, on WEDNESDAY, APRIL 24, at 11 O'CLOCK SHARP.
Catalogues are in course of preparation, and will be obtainable at the offices of the Auctioneers, 124, 126, and 128 Castlereagh-street.

G. R.
WEDNESDAY, MAY 1, 1912,
AT H.M. NAVAL YARDS, GARDEN ISLAND, AT 11 O'CLOCK SHARP,
Under instructions from THE NAVAL STORE OFFICER.
SALE BY AUCTION of SURPLUS AND OLD STORES.

DEAN AND COMPANY (AUCTIONEERS BY APPOINTMENT TO H.M. NAVAL ESTABLISHMENTS AT SYDNEY) have received instructions to conduct the above SALE BY AUCTION, AT H.M. NAVAL YARD, GARDEN ISLAND, on WEDNESDAY, MAY 1, AT ELEVEN O'CLOCK SHARP.
CATALOGUES ARE NOW IN PREPARATION.

THIS DAY, APRIL 17th, at 10 a.m., on the Premises, Pitt-street, near King-street, UNDER IMPERATIVE INSTRUCTIONS. OFFICE FURNITURE, LINOLEUM, SUNDRIES.
A. G. JENKINS will sell as above THIS MORNING. WITHOUT RESERVE.

THIS DAY, APRIL 17th, at 11 a.m.
Under instructions from THE CURATOR OF INTESTATE ESTATES. In the Estate of E. W. Cook, Deceased.
A. G. JENKINS will sell, at his ROOMS, 274 PITT-STREET, THIRTY-SIX PAIRS of NEW CARRIAGE LAMPS. Two pairs Buggy Shafts, Buggy Hood. WITHOUT RESERVE.

UNREDEEMED PLEDGES. THIS DAY, APRIL 17th, at 11 a.m.
A. G. JENKINS has been instructed by Mr. Campbell McFarlane to sell by auction, at his Rooms, 274 Pitt-street, the Unredeemed Pledges pawned with the Abercrombie Loan Office, Abercrombie-street, city, consisting of GOLD AND SILVER JEWELLERY, Watches, Rings, Bangles, Brooches, etc.

THIS MORNING, AT 11 O'CLOCK.
AUCTION OF LARGE QUANTITY SURPLUS FURNITURE, including IRON-FRAME PIANO.
On the premises, GLENALVA, STEPHEN-STREET (at Ferry Wharf), BALMAIN.
W. J. LAWS, Auctioneer and Valuator, will sell, as above. WITHOUT RESERVE.

FRIDAY, 19th APRIL, AT THE ARGYLE BOND, 18 ARGYLE-STREET. AT 11 A.M.
On account of whom it may concern. In Bond. With all Faults. Ex KNIGHT OF ST. GEORGE.
Flash Manfg. Co., 148 CASES COMPOUND.
P.A.B. in Block, 1 CASE ROOFING FIXTURES.
H.H.G. and CO. in Oblong, 2 CASES PAINT.
No Mark, 1 CASE SAWMILLING MACHINERY.
Various Marks, 24 CASES ASPARAGUS.

FRASER, UTHER, AND CO., LTD., have received instructions to sell by auction as above.

CLEARING SALE OF BUILDING MATERIALS.
QUEEN-STREET, off REGENT-STREET, CITY. On Site, opp. M'DONALD'S BOOT FACTORY.
TO-DAY, WEDNESDAY, AT 11 A.M.
100 Loads Sq. STONE, 1000 BRICKS.
1000ft H.W. JOISTS, RAFTERS, 6 x 2, 4 x 2½.
A good lot of H'WOOD, in useful lengths.
Quantity of SCAFFOLD POLES, Mantels.
H.W. and Oregon FLOORING, Lining, Partitions, Panel and Ent. Doors, Sashes, Frames.
GAL. IRON, 6ft to 9ft, TILE, IRON.
And a lot of useful Sundries.

GEO. M. PUGH has been instructed to sell the above, ABSOLUTELY WITHOUT RESERVE.
Auctioneer's 'Phone, Petersham 117.

THIS DAY.
JOHN P. LISTER will sell by auction, at his new auction rooms, 392 Pitt-street, 1 door from Goulburn-street,—The Unredeemed Pledges pawned with Mr. Elijah Joseph, of the Brisbane Loan Office, 65 William-street, city. At 11 o'clock, Clothing, Boots, Blankets, etc. At 3 o'clock, Sundries of every description.

THIS DAY, at 2 o'clock.—HENRY LEVY will sell by auction, at 125 Regent-street, Clothing, Underclothing, Drapery, Boots, Fancy Goods, Jewellery, Clocks, Bicycle, Furniture, etc.

ON MONDAY, the twentieth day of May, 1912, at noon, unless the Writ of Fieri Facias herein be previously satisfied, the Sheriff will cause to be sold by Public Auction, at the Sales Room, Supreme Court, Sydney,
All the Right, Title, and Interest of ANDREW FENWICK, the Defendant herein, of, in, and to all that the equity of redemption and all other the right, title, and interest (if any) of the said Andrew Fenwick of, in, and to all that part, share, and interest, whether vested, contingent, or accruing, to which the Defendant is now, or hereafter may become, entitled under or by virtue of the Will of THOMAS FENWICK, deceased, of and in the Real Estate and the Residuary Personal Estate and Effects of the said deceased, and in the proceeds of sale thereof, or of any part thereof. And of and in the moneys, stocks, funds, properties, and securities of which the Estate of the said deceased may consist, or by which the same respectively may be represented. And of and in the rents, interest, dividends, and annual produce thereof. And all the estate, right, title, interest, property, claim, and demand whatsoever of the Defendant of, in, or to the said part, share, interest, and premises, and every or any part thereof.
The abovementioned deceased, Thomas Fenwick, died on the 14th day of September, 1896. His Will is dated the 26th September, 1895, and probate of same was granted on the 1st March, 1897, to E. W. Molesworth and Andrew Fenwick, the Executors thereof, the present Trustee being the Perpetual Trustee Company of New South Wales, Limited.
The abovementioned interest of the Defendant is subject to a Mortgage to Arthur Naphens, of Lismore, dated 29th June, 1911, to secure the repayment of £250. Reg. No. 414, Book 939.
TERMS CASH.
PERKINS, STEVENSON, and CO., Plaintiff's Attorneys, 122 Pitt-street, Sydney.
C. E. B. MAYBURY, Sheriff.
IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES. Sheriff's Office, Sydney, 13th April, 1912.
WILLIAMSON CROFT, AND CO., v FENWICK, A.

AUCTION SALES.

COOGEE.
UNRESERVED SALE BY AUCTION.
THIS DAY, WEDNESDAY, 17th APRIL, AT 11 O'CLOCK A.M.
AT THE RESIDENCE, GLENCAIRN, CARRINGTON-ROAD, COOGEE (Near Tram Waiting Room),
Under Instructions from MRS. K. SNUDDEN,
IN CONSEQUENCE OF RELINQUISHING HOUSE-KEEPING.
THE WHOLE OF THE FURNITURE and HOUSEHOLD EFFECTS, including GLASS, CHINA, and ELECTROPLATE, SUPERIOR CARPETS AND LINOLEUM, SOLID WALNUT OVERMANTEL, SUPERIOR FIVE FEET SIDEBOARD, SUITE OF SIX OAK DINING CHAIRS, EIGHT-FEET TELESCOPE DINING TABLE, SMALL FOUR-FEET SIDEBOARD.
DRAWING-ROOM FURNITURE AND APPOINTMENTS, WALNUT CHINA CABINET, CHOICE ORNAMENTS AND PICTURES.
VALUABLE PIANOFORTE, WALNUT UPRIGHT MODEL, BY P. SHAECKE, BERLIN, can be Highly Recommended.
OCCASIONAL TABLES AND CHAIRS.
HALL FURNITURE.
FUMED OAK BEDROOM SUITE, Consisting of Single Wardrobe and Pair Semi-Pedestal Toilets.
SUPERIOR DOUBLE BEDROOM SUITE, Comprising 6ft Wardrobe, Pair Pedestal Toilets, Towel Rail, and Two Chairs.
DOUBLE AND SINGLE BEDSTEADS, with Bedding Complete.
BEALE SEWING MACHINE.
KITCHEN AND LAUNDRY REQUISITES, Etc, Etc.
ON VIEW THIS (WEDNESDAY) MORNING PRIOR TO SALE FROM 9 A.M.
JAMES R. LAWSON AND LITTLE, FURNITURE AND GENERAL AUCTIONEERS, 128-130 PITT-STREET, NEAR KING-STREET.

MOSMAN.
THURSDAY NEXT, 18th APRIL, AT 11 O'CLOCK A.M.
IMPORTANT SALE BY AUCTION, UNDER INSTRUCTIONS FROM J. BRYANT, ESQ.,
IN CONSEQUENCE OF HAVING SOLD THE PROPERTY.
THE WHOLE OF THE VALUABLE MODERN FURNITURE and HOUSEHOLD EFFECTS CONTAINED IN HIS RESIDENCE, EOTHEN, MELALEUCA-STREET, MOSMAN
(near Mandolong-road. Intending purchasers proceed per Milson's Point tram, alighting at Almora-street tram stop).
Including TABLE GLASS and CHINA, FINEST QUALITY ELECTROPLATE.
SOLID WALNUT DINING-ROOM FURNITURE, consisting of HANDSOME OVERMANTEL, fitted with bevelled-edged Centre Mirror and Side Panels with bracket shelves for ornaments.
SIX FEET SIDEBOARD, with Lofty Mirror Back and arranged with all conveniences.
TELESCOPE DINING TABLE, with Spare Leaves, extending 9 feet.
DINING-ROOM SUITE OF NINE PIECES, Upholstered in Leather.
VALUABLE WATER-COLOUR DRAWINGS, NEW ZEALAND SCENERY, BY THE LATE THOMAS PEERLESS.
CHOICE ORNAMENTS AND BRIC-A-BRAC.
ROYAL AXMINSTER AND BRUSSELS CARPETS, FIRST-CLASS LINOLEUM.
LUXURIOUS SETTEE AND TWO ARM CHAIRS, ROSEWOOD INLAID DRAWING-ROOM SUITE, upholstered in Lyons Silk.
OCCASIONAL TABLES AND CHAIRS.
BLUTHNER PIANOFORTE, FULL UPRIGHT GRAND, IN HANDSOME WALNUT CASE.
*** Bluthner Pianofortes are recognised by the musical profession throughout the world as pre-eminent. The above instrument is worthy of special notice.
CHIPPENDALE OTTOMAN MUSIC SEAT.
MASSIVE SOLID WALNUT HALL STAND, WITH TWO HALL CHAIRS EN SUITE, ENAMELLED COSEY CORNER SEAT.
THE COMPLETE FURNISHINGS of SMOKING AND BREAKFAST ROOMS.
DOUBLE BEDROOM SUITE, of Superior Manufacture, and comprising LARGE SIX FEET WARDROBE, PAIR PEDESTAL TOILETS AND TOWEL RAIL.
MASSIVE ALL-BRASS BEDSTEAD, Italian Design, with Woven Wire Mattress and Superior quality Bedding, size 6ft 6 x 4ft 6.
SINGLE BEDSTEADS AND BEDDING, and THE GENERAL FURNISHINGS of SEVERAL BEDROOMS.
WHEELER AND WILSON SEWING MACHINE, HANNAM'S COPPER BATH-HEATER, KITCHEN AND LAUNDRY REQUISITES, LATEST IMPROVED EUREKA GAS STOVE, No. 607, Enamelled throughout, nearly new, Etc., Etc.
FULL PARTICULARS IN CATALOGUES, obtainable from the auctioneers, or free per post on application.
ON VIEW THIS DAY, WEDNESDAY, 17th APRIL, from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.
JAMES R. LAWSON AND LITTLE, FURNITURE AND GENERAL AUCTIONEERS, 128-130 PITT-STREET, NEAR KING-STREET.
TELEPHONE, CENTRAL 2056.

AUCTIONEER'S NOTICE.
The SALE of the STOCK of GROCERIES, IRONMONGERY, etc., advertised for Auction Sale This Day, at 11 a.m., in the Bankrupt Estate of Arthur Edgar Barnes, Trafalgar-square, Mosman, has been WITHDRAWN FROM SALE.

F. R. STRANGE, AUCTIONEER, 106 CASTLEREAGH-STREET.
THURSDAY, 18th APRIL, AT THE STATE AUCTION ROOMS, No. 106 CASTLEREAGH-STREET, AT 11 A.M.
DUTY PAID.
20 BOXES AMERICAN TOBACCO, Pocket Pieces and Gold Bars.
46 BOXES CIGARS.
QUANTITY MANILA ROPE.
16 BALES IMITATION LEATHER BROWN PAPER.
25 REAMS GREASE-PROOF PAPER.
1 GLASS SHOWCASE AND TABLE.
WITH ALL FAULTS.
150 COILS WIRE.
6 SACKS SUGAR.
3 SACKS CANARY SEED.
QUANTITY CARDBOARD.
26 COILS ELECTRIC COPPER WIRE, with Silk Cord.
20 COILS THICK COPPER WIRE.
2 CASES GENERATORS.
1 EMERY WHEEL.
2 CASES PHONOGRAPH SPRINGS.
106 BOXES ENGLISH ASSORTED LOLLIES.
Quantity of E.P. Cruets, Crumb and Brush Sets, and Sundry Indent Samples.
WITHOUT RESERVE.
1 LIGHT, RELIABLE TOURING MOTOR CAR.
TO SEAT 5, Electric Headlight, 3 Lamps, Spare Cover, 4 Spare Inner Tubes. An excellent Hill-climber.
Also,
DINING AND DRAWING ROOM FURNITURE, in Oak, Carpets, Dresser, Couch, Overmantels, Bookcase, Mangle, Toilet Ware, etc., etc.

F. R. STRANGE, AUCTIONEER.
CIGARS.
FRIDAY, 19th APRIL, at E. RICH AND CO.'S BOND, OPPOSITE ORIENT COMPANY'S WHARF, CIRCULAR QUAY EAST. AT 3 P.M.
ON ACCOUNT OF WHOM IT MAY CONCERN.
WITH ALL FAULTS (IF ANY).
IN BOND.
EX ROSERIC.
2 CASES HAVANAH CIGARS, "CALIXTO LOPEZ," EACH 10,000.
Orders for inspection can be obtained at my Rooms.
F. R. STRANGE, AUCTIONEER, 106 CASTLEREAGH-STREET.

AUCTION SALES.

FRIDAY NEXT, 19th APRIL, AT ELEVEN O'CLOCK A.M.
IMPORTANT SALE BY AUCTION, ABSOLUTELY WITHOUT ANY RESERVE,
By the Direction of THE EXECUTORS IN THE ESTATE of THE LATE MRS. H. M. NEALE (per Messrs. Deane and Deane, Solicitors).
FURNITURE, GRAND PIANOFORTE, VALUABLE PICTURES, Etc., Etc.,
REMOVED FROM THE RESIDENCE, LUGANO, MACLEAY-STREET, POTTS POINT.
Including:—
LARGE OIL PAINTING, "The Avenue, Hatfield Hall," by G. Warrington, 1884.
LARGE OIL PAINTING, "An Englishman's Home," by Edwin Hughes, 1879.
LARGE OIL PAINTING, "Mary Queen of Scots on the Way to Execution."
VERY LARGE EMPIRE CONSOLE MIRROR, in Gilded Frame, with Jardiniere at base, 9ft high and 6ft wide.
MASSIVE WALNUT-WOOD SIDEBOARD, 7ft 6in, made by WILLIAM WALKER and SONS, of Bunhill Row, London.
SOLID BRASS BEDSTEAD, 6ft 6in x 5ft 9in, with English Horsehair Box Spring Mattress.
DRAWING-ROOM GRAND PIANOFORTE, by COLLARD and COLLARD, in Rosewood Case.
THE ABOVE EFFECTS TO BE SOLD BY AUCTION, WITHOUT ANY RESERVE, at THE GALLERY SALEROOMS of JAMES R. LAWSON AND LITTLE, 128-130 PITT-STREET, NEAR KING-STREET.
Also,
FOR AND ON ACCOUNT OF VARIOUS VENDORS, CARVED OAK DINING-ROOM SUITE (English Manufacture).
MAGNIFICENT WALNUT BEDROOM SUITE.
WALNUT COLOUR MODERN ARTISTIC BEDSTEAD, 6ft 6in x 4ft 6in, with best quality Bedding, complete.
GRANDFATHER'S CLOCK, IN OLD GENUINE MAHOGANY TALL TRUNK CASE.
DRAWING-ROOM FURNITURE.
MAHOGANY INLAID CHINA CABINET.
RECEPTION AND OCCASIONAL CHAIRS.
COMBINATION BILLIARD TABLE, (by Alcock and Co.).
ROSEWOOD INLAID PIANOFORTE, by W. SAVILLE and CO., ENGLAND.
HIGH-GRADE VOGEL PIANOFORTE (almost new).
BRINSMEAD SEMI-GRAND PIANOFORTE (a Highly Superior Instrument).
SEVERAL OTHER PIANOFORTES, by well-known makers.
and AN EXTENSIVE CATALOGUE of MISCELLANEOUS GENERAL FURNITURE.
At TWELVE O'CLOCK NOON,
16-H.P. DARRACQ MOTOR CAR, FOUR CYLINDER, SEATS FIVE, recently overhauled, and in GOOD RUNNING ORDER.
ON VIEW TO-MORROW, THURSDAY.
JAMES R. LAWSON AND LITTLE, FINE ART, FURNITURE, and GENERAL AUCTIONEERS, 128-130 PITT-STREET, near King-street.
TELEPHONE, 2056 CENTRAL.

FURS. FURS.
IMPORTANT SALE BY AUCTION, on TUESDAY NEXT, 23rd APRIL, AT 11 O'CLOCK, at THE CENTRAL AUCTION ROOMS, of JAMES R. LAWSON AND LITTLE, 128 and 130 PITT-STREET, near KING-STREET.
A SUPERB COLLECTION of VALUABLE LADIES' FURS.
ON VIEW MONDAY NEXT, 22nd APRIL, from 10 o'clock a.m.
FULL PARTICULARS WILL BE ADVERTISED NEXT SATURDAY.
JAMES R. LAWSON AND LITTLE, FINE ART, FURNITURE, and GENERAL AUCTIONEERS, 128 and 130 PITT-STREET, near KING-STREET.

WAHROONGA.
IMPORTANT PRELIMINARY NOTICE.
IMPORTANT SALE BY AUCTION, on WEDNESDAY NEXT, 24th APRIL, AT 11 O'CLOCK A.M., at "HAZELDEAN," BURNS-ROAD, WAHROONGA, under instructions from GEORGE BOYNE, ESQ.,
the whole of his VALUABLE MODERN FURNITURE and HOUSEHOLD APPOINTMENTS, including QUANTITY GLASS, CHINA, and ELECTROPLATE, SUPERIOR CARPETS, DINING-ROOM and DRAWING-ROOM FURNITURE, THE COMPLETE APPOINTMENTS for FOURTEEN FULLY-FURNISHED BEDROOMS,
BOUDOIR GRAND PIANOFORTE, by C. BECHSTEIN, A Magnificent Instrument, in highly polished Rosewood Case.
The Furniture throughout the Residence is in the most perfect condition, having been purchased under 18 months ago from Messrs. Farmer and Co.
"HAZELDEAN" will be open for inspection on TUESDAY, 23rd April, from 10 o'clock a.m.
FULL PARTICULARS will be advertised NEXT SATURDAY.
JAMES R. LAWSON AND LITTLE, FINE ART, FURNITURE, and GENERAL AUCTIONEERS, 128 and 130 PITT-STREET, near KING-STREET.
TELEPHONE, 2056 CENTRAL.

SUNRISE ESTATE, KURING-GAL.—Doctors, lawyers, professional men seeking health, the new township, catch 1.17 train NEXT SATURDAY.
BLACKWOOD, Hay and George streets, Haymarket.

AUCTION SALES.

THIS DAY, WEDNESDAY, AT 11 A.M.
HABERFIELD.
SPECIAL UNRESERVED SALE OF USEFUL FURNITURE AND EFFECTS of the 5-roomed cottage at 3 Marion-street, Haberfield (tram passes the door), as fully described in Tuesday's issue.
STRONGMAN, BRUNTNELL, AND CO., have been instructed by Mrs. Elliott, who is relinquishing, to sell right out to highest bidders.
SPECIAL CHANCE for those Furnishing, Dealers, and the public generally.

FRIDAY NEXT, APRIL 19th, AT 11 A.M.
BURWOOD.
STRONGMAN, BRUNTNELL, AND CO., desire to inform their numerous Patrons and the Public generally that they are holding their NEXT BIG ROOMS AUCTION SALE ON FRIDAY NEXT, from 11 a.m. to 6 p.m.
THIS IS THE FIRST SALE AFTER EASTER, and large quantities of SPLENDID FURNITURE will be available. It is coming in daily.
FULL PARTICULARS IN TO-MORROW'S ISSUE.

THE CHANCE OF THE SEASON.
FOR LAND SPECULATORS, BUILDERS, HOME SEEKERS, in the HEALTHIEST, PUREST ATMOSPHERE out of SYDNEY.
NEXT SATURDAY, APRIL 20, at 3 p.m.
WILL BE SOLD AT AUCTION, to the Highest Bidder,
THE HIGHLANDS ESTATE, STRATHFIELD SOUTH, Corner Liverpool and Homebush roads.
SEVENTEEN SPLENDID ALLOTMENTS, each 50ft frontage, with a good depth.
TITLE TORRENS. TERMS EASY, viz.,
Buyers of one lot, deposit £3, bal. 30s month.
Buyers of two lots, deposit £5, bal. 50s month.
Buyers of three lots, deposit £6, bal. 60s month.
Interest on quarterly balances 5 p.c. p.a.
This is all GOOD LAND, fronting SPLENDID STREETS, Metalled, etc, about 3 minutes from tram. 'Bus from Strathfield passing the Estate frequently throughout the day.
BOUND TO RISE RAPIDLY IN VALUE.
PLANS at Allen's Store, opposite Corner, and from the Auctioneers.
STRONGMAN, BRUNTNELL, AND CO., BURWOOD-ROAD, BURWOOD. TEL., 200.

TO FURNITURE DEALERS, BUYERS OF TILES, CROCKERYWARE, ETC.
HIGHLY IMPORTANT SALE, ON THE PREMISES, 78 GEORGE-STREET WEST,
TO-MORROW, THURSDAY, APRIL 18, AT 11.30 A.M.
60 Yards of WHITE GLAZED TILES.
30 Yards of COLOURED CENTRES and BORDERS, suitable for Butcher Shops, Bathrooms, etc.
150 Dozen FLUTED CUPS and SAUCERS.
150 Dozen PLAIN, WHITE, and GOLD, will be sold in lots to suit purchasers.
100 SMOOTHING IRONS, 6lb and 7lb weight.
2 DOUBLE-DOOR COOKING RANGES, Younger.
150 ARCH BARS, AIR BRICKS, and LOUVRES.
100 ½ BRASS WATER TAPS, DOOR KNOCKERS, and KNOBS.
SINGLE and 2 BEDSTEADS, and Sundry Furniture.
6 Large CANVAS BLINDS, for Front Awnings.
Quantity of old PERAMBULATOR WHEELS, BED KNOBS, and CASTINGS.
REGISTER GRATES, DOWN PIPES, and Hosts of Sundries.
G. L. COOPER will sell the above, WITHOUT RESERVE.
Auctioneer's Address: 37 Hume-street, North Sydney.

BUILDING MATERIALS AT 165-167 Liverpool-road, Ashfield, opp. Public School. The Contents of two two-story Brick and Weatherboard Houses will be sold by Public Auction, on FRIDAY NEXT, 19th APRIL, 1912, at 11 a.m.
The Lot comprises
10,000 Full-sized S.S. BRICKS
150 Sheets GALVANISED IRON, as good as new
2000ft H.W. JOISTS and RAFTERS, 6 x 2, 4 x 2, 3 x 2, long lengths
1000ft H.W. STUDS, 4 x 4, 16ft long
1000ft T. and G. FLOORING, Tallowwood 6 x 1, clean and sound
1000ft H.W. FLOORING, square jointed
1000ft KAURI FLOORING
2000ft LINING and PARTITION BOARDS, A1 lot
2000ft WEATHERBOARDS, H'wood and Baltic
Panel and Ledge Doors, Front, Entrance, and Casement Doors, Box Frames and Sashes, Reg. Grates and Mantels
2 STOVES, Ward and Slee
2 COPPERS, 10 and 12 gallons
Washtubs, W.C. Fittings, Gas and Water Piping, etc.
G. L. COOPER has received instructions from the Contractor to sell the above, WITHOUT RESERVE.
Auctioneer's address, 37 Hume-street, North Sydney.

TO RESIDENTS OF ALEXANDRIA, WATERLOO, AND SURROUNDING DISTRICTS.
HIGHLY IMPORTANT SALE OF BUILDING MATERIALS, at 89 Renwick-street, Alexandria, on SATURDAY NEXT, APRIL 20, 1912, at 2.30 p.m.
The Lots comprise
300 Sheets GAL. IRON, all lengths, good lot
2000 MACHINE BRICKS
2000ft H.W. JOISTS, 6 x 2, 4 x 2, 3 x 2
1000ft H.W. JOISTS, 8 x 2, long lengths
3000ft H.W. and KAURI FLOORING
2000ft LINING and PARTITION BOARDS
15 POLISHED CEDAR DOORS
20 PANEL DOORS
Ledge, Casement, and Front Ent. DOORS
SET CEDAR FOLDING DOORS
H.G. and MARGIN LIGHT DOORS
20 BOX F. and SASHES (complete)
A Large Quantity of Redwood and Kauri Boards
1000ft of OREGON, 14 x 4, 15ft long
10 STEEL GIRDERS, 6 x 4, 7ft long
200 ARCH BARS, 5 CWT. of BAR IRON
ANGLE IRON FOR VERANDAHS
2 FUEL STOVES, Dover and Slee
25 COPPERS, 10, 12, and 20 gallons
Ladders and Scaffold Planks, Balcony Railing, and Frieze, Chairs, Water Piping, Brass Taps, and a host of Sundries.
G. L. COOPER has received instructions from Mr. J. D. COULING to sell the above, Without Reserve. Auctioneer's address, 37 Hume-st, N. Sydney.

PRELIMINARY ANNOUNCEMENT.
THE SALE OF THE SEASON.
HIGHLY IMPORTANT SALE of all the EXTERIOR FITTINGS contained in a 25-roomed MANSION, the residence of the late JOHN HARRIS, situated on the corner of JONES-STREET and WILLIAM HENRY-STREET, ULTIMO, on WEDNESDAY NEXT, APRIL 24, 1912, at 11 a.m.
G. L. COOPER has received instructions to sell the above, WITHOUT RESERVE.
Full particulars in future issue.
Auctioneer's address, 37 Hume-street, North Sydney.

CHATSWOOD.
UNRESERVED SALE OF HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE AND EFFECTS at ADDERLEY, NICHOLSON and EDMUND STREETS, opposite Beauchamp Park.
TO-MORROW, AT 11 O'CLOCK,
RICH-TONED PIANO, "Hanover," only in use a few months.
DRAWING-ROOM SUITE (Rosewood), CARPETS, EXTENSION DINING TABLE, OCCASIONAL TABLE, DINING-ROOM SUITE.
OVERMANTELS, BEDROOM SUITES.
DOUBLE and 2 BEDSTEADS and BEDDING.
OCCASIONAL CHAIRS, DRESSER.
TABLE, KITCHEN UTENSILS.
LAWN MOWER, GARDEN HOSE, Garden Tools, etc.
HUGH DUFF and CO., Auctioneers and Sworn Valuators, 283 George-street; Chatswood and Mosman.
N.B.—FURNITURE ALMOST NEW, and recently purchased from leading firms.

NORTH SYDNEY.
PROPERTY SALE, FRIDAY, APRIL 19th, at 11 o'clock sharp, at the Rooms, BLUE-STREET.
ERNEST A. WOODBERRY, General Auctioneer (successor to Clarke and Solomons), having received instructions, will sell by auction, as above,
2 SEMI-DET. BRICK COTTAGES, Nos. 24 and 33 Myrtle-street, each containing 2 rooms and kitchen, together with land having a frontage 30ft to Myrtle-street, with a depth of 146ft. The cottages are always occupied, and return a yearly rental of £53 6s, and, if required, the great depth of land will allow of any number of rooms being added. 2 minutes from Ridge-street or Lane Cove tram. A LITTLE GOLD MINE. DON'T MISS IT.
IMMEDIATELY after above, the usual FURNITURE SALE will be held, consisting of SOLID OAK and Walnut Stained Bedroom Suites, Pianos, Comb. Chests, S'boards, Marble-top Washstands, Couches, Chairs, Sewing Machines, Mangles, Dble. and Sgle. Bedsteads, Comb. Lathe and Fret Machine, 2 buggy Poles, Phono. Records, 4 D.M. Doors, Crockery.

OCEAN BEACH FRONTAGES, NEWPORT.
NEXT SATURDAY.
Special Motor leaves our Office 10 a.m., Sale Day. Return Tickets 5/. Special Coaches meet at Manly steamers leaving Quay 10 a.m., 12.30, 1 p.m., 1.30 p.m. Return 2/. Tickets and plans from INTERCOLONIAL INVESTMENT CO., Ltd., 14 Moore-st, RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd., 98 Pitt-street.

AUCTION SALES.

ORDER OF SALE.
AUCTION SALE, IN THE ROOMS, 131 Pitt-street, Sydney, TO-MORROW, THURSDAY, 18th APRIL, at 11.30 a.m.
CRONULLA. Trustees' Sale, Lot 1, Section 2, Ocean Estate, 44ft to Burke-road x 132ft to Judd-street. Lot 12, Section 2, Ocean Estate, 46ft frontage to Sea View-street by a depth of 132 feet.
RANDWICK. Vacant Land, Pine-street and Fig Tree-avenue, 44 x 128.
GLEBE, HEREFORD-STREET. Vacant Land, frontage 30ft, depth 108ft through to Creek-street. Torrens.
NEWTOWN, GOWRIE-STREET. Nos. 31 and 33, 2 Br. Houses, each 4 rooms, kitchen, and offices; Land 30ft by 100ft.
H. W. HORNING AND CO., 131 PITT-STREET.

CRONULLA.
By Order of the Permanent Trustee Co. of N.S.W., Ltd. In Estate of FREDERICK SMYTHE WILLIS, dec.
Lot 1, sec. 2 of Ocean Estate, having a frontage of about 44ft to BURKE-ROAD, depth about 132ft along JUDD-STREET.
Lot 12, sec. 2, Ocean Estate, frontage about 46ft to SEAVIEW-STREET, depth about 132ft. Torrens. Two highly desirable Allotments, nicely situated, and having good prospective values.
H. W. HORNING AND COY. have been instructed to sell as above by public auction, in the Rooms, 131 Pitt-street, NEXT THURSDAY, 18th April, at 11.30 a.m.
Messrs. MINTER, SIMPSON, and CO., Hunter-street, Vendor's Solicitors.

NEWTOWN.
GOWRIE-STREET, Nos. 31 and 33, two brick two-storied Houses, iron roofs, each 4 rooms, kitchen, and offices. Land 30ft by 100ft.

GLEBE.
HEREFORD-STREET.—Vacant Land, having a frontage of 30ft, depth 108ft through to Creek-street. Title Torrens.
H. W. HORNING AND COY. have been instructed to sell as above by public auction, in the Rooms, 131 Pitt-street, NEXT THURSDAY, 18th April, at 11.30 a.m.
T. J. PURCELL, Esq., 65 Elizabeth-street, Vendor's Solicitor.

RANDWICK.
PINE-STREET and FIGTREE-AVENUE.—Lots 21 and 22 Hooper Gardens Estate, each 40ft by 128ft.
TWO CHOICE VILLA SITES.
H. W. HORNING AND COY. will offer the above by public auction, in the Rooms, 131 Pitt-street, NEXT THURSDAY, 18th April, at 11.30 a.m.

SUNRISE ESTATE, KURING-GAI.
Climb the golden ladder, 702ft above sea-level. Better than the Blue Mountains. Just past Hornsby. Catch the 1.17 p.m. train, NEXT SATURDAY, to the GREAT AUCTION SALE on the ground.
81 BIG LOTS. SOME FARMS.
3 minutes from the station.
Facing railway line.
TERMS, £1 DEPOSIT, £1 MONTHLY.
WEEKLY TICKETS, 4s.
NEAR COWAN BAY.
BOATING, FISHING.
The creation of a new Township. Price expected, 10/ to 20/ per foot for the grass lawn lots.
MOUNTAIN SCENERY,
LOW RATES.
MADE ROADS.
NOTE.—Each purchaser will be presented with an UMBRELLA, value 10/6, Ladies' or Gent.'s.
THIS is the Ideal Week-end Spot, where values must increase. Call for plan.
ARTHUR BLACKWOOD, AUCTIONEER, Hay and George streets, Haymarket. Est. 1881.

PYMBLE PYMBLE
RIGHT AT THE STATION.
Commanding those fine views—the best obtainable on the North Shore Railway Line.
LAMBERT ESTATE.
Now being prepared for Subdivision. AUCTION SALE DURING MAY.
SLADE and BROWN, 34 Moore-street.

FOR SALE,
LEASE of a portion of the WELL-KNOWN "ARTHURSLEIGH" ESTATE, GOULBURN (67 years' lease).
Acting under instructions from A. W. HOLT, Esq.,
STUBBS and CO., of 11 O'Connell-street, Sydney (and of Yass), and O. H. FURNER and CO., Ltd., of Goulburn (in conjunction), will sell the Lease of the above Property by Public Auction, at the Rooms of Messrs. O. H. Furner and Co., Ltd., GOULBURN, at 3 p.m. on WEDNESDAY, the 29th MAY, 1912.
"ARTHURSLEIGH" is situated about
12 miles from Marulan,
25 miles from Goulburn,
23 miles from Moss Vale,
23 miles from Exeter,
110 miles from Sydney.
AREA, about 13,404 Acres 2 Roo
TENURE OF LEASE: 99 years from 31st July, 1880, and expiring in 1979 (67 years).
Particulars of ground rent can be obtained on application to the Auctioneers or the Solicitors for the vendor.
Possession to be given 2nd January, 1913.
"ARTHURSLEIGH" has been held by the Holt Family for the past 67 years, and has always held a reputation as a Pastoral holding unexcelled in the State.
THE COUNTRY is fattening, heavy carrying, thoroughly sound, and ideal for breeding and fattening crossbred lambs, besides which a considerable area is well adapted to the growth of Wheat, Corn, and Potatoes.
THE TIMBER on the greater proportion of the land has been killed, picked up, and burnt off.
THE IMPROVEMENTS are all that could be desired. Homestead of 9 rooms, large stables and necessary outbuildings, splendid stone woolshed, yards, etc. The property is subdivided into 13 paddocks, the fencing (5, 6, and 7 wires) being in excellent order.
"ARTHURSLEIGH" is undoubtedly one of the best-watered properties in the South, every paddock being permanently watered by the Wollondilly River, and numerous creeks, which are ever running.
THE RAINFALL is consistent and ample, averaging about 28 inches.
The Auctioneers recommend this property with the utmost confidence, and emphasise its unique position (as above), its close proximity to the Sydney, Flemington, and Goulburn markets, and delightful climate.
TERMS: Exceptionally liberal and easy terms can be arranged.
The Auctioneers, having Motor Cars at Goulburn, will drive intending purchasers over the property, and will gladly supply any further information that may be required.
STUBBS and COMPANY, 11 O'Connell-street, Sydney (and at Yass), O. H. FURNER and CO., LTD., Goulburn, Auctioneers in conjunction.
ALLEN, ALLEN, and HEMSLEY, Australasian-chambers, Sydney, Solicitors to the vendor.

EDWARD WEAVER and CO., Forbes, in conjunction with Sellar and Quodling, Cooma, will sell, at Forbes, at an early date, 11,000 ACRES of the famous OOMA ESTATE, in blocks to suit all buyers, on liberal terms. Full particulars to follow.

NEXT SATURDAY.
BEACH FRONTAGES AND HOME SITES.
THE ESPLANADE ESTATE NO. 2, BRIGHTON-LE-SANDS.
GOOD LEVEL ALLOTMENTS, FACING LADY ROBINSON'S BEACH, AND CLOSE TO BOTH ROCKDALE AND KOGARAH TRAMS.
FOR AUCTION ON THE GROUND.
NEXT SATURDAY, AT 3 P.M.
EASY TERMS. LOW RESERVES. TORRENS TITLE.
SEND FOR A PLAN.
BATT, RODD, AND PURVES, LTD., 88 PITT-STREET.

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AUCTION SALES.

1.—HOTEL MANSION.

DARLINGHURST,
BAYSWATER-ROAD and KELLETT-STREET,
AS A GOING CONCERN.

By order of the Executors of late
W. F. BUCHANAN, Esq., of Killarney.

The buildings are a noble pile, attractive, most substantial, comfortable, and commodious, occupying a site on the HEIGHTS OF DARLINGHURST, practically at the 1d tram section; and trams run at every couple of minutes' interval regularly, early and late.

A NEW THEATRE TO BE BUILT immediately opposite the hotel, which will contribute largely to the bar trade of HOTEL MANSION, and also to its residential feature.

The premises are of brick, cemented, with verandah (tiled), balconies, and contain 4 floors, cellar, and basement; in all there are bars, reception room, smokeroom, manager's room, writing-room, two drawing-rooms, 9 bathrooms, linen room, and 111 bedrooms and in conjunction with it,

ALSO, KELLETT House, corner of Kellett-street, adjoining, which contains hall, 15 rooms, 2 bathrooms, pantry, kitchen, laundry, and man's room, etc.

THE LAND is extensive, — feet frontage to Bayswater-road, — feet frontage to KELLETT-STREET, other lines irregularity.

TO HOTEL PROPRIETORS, MANAGERS, BREWERS, and Others.

In this and neighbouring States, this Sale, BY ORDER OF THE TRUSTEES of WILL, affords a rare opportunity to acquire HOTEL MANSION (as a Going Concern), for its situation and adaptability to minister to visitors' comfort, besides its convenient access (and directly) to and from the city, must prove elements to gain patronage for the house.

LOT 2.—BAYSWATER-ROAD.
MILTON HOUSE, No. 20, adjoining Hotel Mansion, built of brick, cemented, having three stories, verandah, balcony, hall, 14 rooms, 2 bathrooms, kitchen, laundry, etc. Land, —ft x —ft.

LOT 3.—KELLETT-STREET, DARLINGHURST, close to 1d tram stop and BAYSWATER-ROAD. IN ONE OR MORE LOTS.
FIVE Superior RESIDENCES, Nos. 3 to 11 Kellett-street, built of brick, cemented, slate roofs, verandahs and balconies in front. THREE contain each hall, 12 rooms, bathroom, kitchen, pantry, and laundry. TWO contain each hall, 9 rooms, bathroom, pantry, kitchen and laundry, etc.
LAND — feet frontage, by good depth back to a lane.

Total Rentals of Five Houses in Terrace, £607 14s per annum.

As individual Home Properties or for an Investment these houses are commended to the attention of both above categories of buyers.

AUCTION SALE, FRIDAY, 19th APRIL, at our Rooms, 98 Pitt-street, Sydney, at 11.30 a.m.
In conjunction with BATT, RODD, and PURVES, Ltd.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd. (6263)

By order of the EXECUTORS of the Will of ROBERT NICHOLAS SADLEAR, Deceased.

CITY INVESTMENT and HOTEL PROPERTY, PADDINGTON.

LOT 1, at OXFORD-STREET, that CORNER BLOCK OF FREEHOLD PROPERTY, consisting BUSINESS PREMISES, No. 20 BURTON-STREET, (occupied by Messrs. Needham and Co.), and TWO HOUSES, Nos. 168 and 170 Riley-street.

The corner building is of brick, cemented and painted, awning in front, and containing 3 floors and basement.

The Houses are of brick, cemented and painted, slate roofs, verandahs, and balconies, and each containing half hall, 5 rooms, bathroom, kitchen, and wash-house. The Land has 71ft 10½in frontage to Burton-street, and 100ft to Riley-street, the depth on north line being 78ft.
RENTAL £290 PER ANNUM.

LOT 2, OXFORD-STREET, PADDINGTON, the TOWN HALL HOTEL and SHOP and Dwelling, No. 232 OXFORD-STREET, nearly opposite Town Hall.

The Hotel is of brick and stone, awning and balcony, and containing bar, spirit-room, 13 rooms, bathroom, and kitchen, wash-house of wood. The shop is of stone and brick, iron roof, awning, and balcony in front, and containing 7 apartments and kitchen, bathroom of T. and G. boards, detached wash-house. The land has 50ft frontage to Oxford-st, with a depth of 130ft back to a lane.
RENTAL £380 PER ANNUM, most being net.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd., will sell by auction, at the Rooms, on FRIDAY, 19th APRIL, 11.30 a.m.
THE ABOVE.
Messrs. FULTON and LOWE are Solicitors of the Estate. (6273)

HOTEL FREEHOLD.

20 YEARS, NO ENCUMBRANCE, IMMEDIATE POSSESSION.

LICENSE AND GOODWILL GO TO PURCHASER. Or, present managers would take a lease of the property from the purchaser for 14 or 20 years at £312 PER ANNUM for the first 7 years, and £364 PER ANNUM for balance of the term.

LONDON HOTEL, BALMAIN,
fronting DARLING and JANE STREETS, at the TERMINUS OF BALMAIN TRAMS.

Just beyond the STRAND, one of the main business centres of this populous suburb.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd., will sell by auction, at the Rooms, 98 Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 19th APRIL, at 11 o'clock,
The above FREEHOLD HOTEL, with LICENSE and GOODWILL, at BALMAIN, a PROMINENT CORNER, with an ACTIVE TRADE. The London Hotel is most substantially built of stone and brick, has balcony in front, and contains bar, 14 rooms, and outoffices. Cellar in the basement.
NOTE.—The adjoining House, No. 226 Darling-street, may be acquired by the purchaser of the Hotel at an upset price of £700.
INSPECTION INVITED. (6265)

ST. IVES, NEAR PYMBLE.
A Healthy, Elevated, and Improving District.

AN ORCHARD PROPERTY, with a substantially-built COTTAGE RESIDENCE, fronting Cowan-road, a short distance beyond the junction of Telegraph and Stoney Creek roads. Torrens Title.
Land is area 29 ACRES or thereabouts, 14 acres of which are planted with choice fruit trees, principally citrus. The land is well tilled, clean, and free from undergrowth. The balance of the land is covered with useful timbers for fencing or building purposes.
One Cottage is built of brick on stone foundation, has verandah front and rear, and contains hall, 6 rooms, kitchen, and washhouse, detached stable, cart and buggy shed, storeroom, cowshed; good water supply. The other Cottage is of weatherboards, verandahs, 4 rooms, kit., etc., and outoffices. Water supply is ample.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd. (in conjunction with STANWAY and SLACK, North Sydney), will sell by auction, at the Rooms, 98 Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 19th APRIL, at 11.30 a.m.,
The above CHOICE ORCHARD PROPERTY and COTTAGES at ST. IVES, IN ONE or TWO LOTS. Plan on view at the Rooms. (6275)

IN THE ESTATE LATE ELIZA BRIERLEY.
WAVERLEY.
BETWEEN OXFORD-STREET AND CENTENNIAL PARK.

TWO Two-story HOUSES, Nos. 85 and 87 DENISON-STREET, a few yards south of Ebley-street. They are built of brick (cemented) on stone foundations, have verandahs and balconies in front and balconettes at rear, and contain each half hall, 4 rooms, pantry, kitchen, and wash-house; one has bathroom of weatherboard. Land 40ft x 100ft.
RENTAL £83/4/ PER ANN.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, LTD., will sell by public auction, at the Rooms, 98 Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 19th April, at 11.30 a.m.,
The above Property at WAVERLEY.
Messrs. MURPHY and MOLONEY, 99 Elizabeth-street, Solicitors to the Estate. (6288)

MARRICKVILLE.

A Two-story HOUSE, situate at the corner of EXCELSIOR-PARADE and CARY-STREET, Warren Estate. It is built of brick on brick foundation, and contains hall, 5 rooms, bathroom, pantry, kitchen, and washhouse, stabling of brick and iron. Land 28ft 6in x 140ft back to lane. Torrens Title.
In the Estate late Mrs. H. BOWES M'CARTHY, for whom E. W. DOWNES, Esq., Moore-street, acts as Solicitor.
AUCTION SALE at the Rooms, 98 Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 19th APRIL, at 11.30 a.m.
RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd., in conjunction with M'COY and CO., Marrickville. (6290)

BY ORDER OF TRUSTEES.
GLEBE POINT-ROAD.

SPLENDID BLOCK OF BUILDING LAND, having 60 feet frontage to the west side of Glebe Point-road, with a depth of 120 feet back to a lane.
***This choice Site adjoins the grounds of Paxton House, near Tram Terminus.
RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd., will sell by auction, at the Rooms, on FRIDAY, 19th April, at 11.30 a.m.,
The above-described land.
ELPHINSTON, Esq., is Solicitor of the Estate. (6283)

UNIVERSITY AND GIBBENS-STREET, CAMPERDOWN,
a new and improving part of the city.
LOTS 12 and 13 of TOOTH'S PADDOCK SUBDIVISION by City Council, having together 41ft 8in frontage Gibbons-street, depth 112ft 4½in along University-street, extending to a lane. Next to a new terrace. Suit, for store, factory, or dwellings.
AUCTION SALE FRIDAY, 19th APRIL, at the Rooms, 98 Pitt-street, at 11.30.
(6287) RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd.

FRESHWATER, MANLY.—SPLENDID SITE, No. 21 SEA BREEZE ESTATE, 52ft 1½in to Old Pittwater-road, depth 143ft to 179ft, width at rear 40ft. Torrens.
AUCTION SALE, at our Rooms, on FRIDAY, 19th April, at 11.30 a.m., by order of the Estate late James Jones, of Armidale.
RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd. (6286)

BONDI.
EXCELLENT BUILDING LAND.
1. PENKIVIL-STREET.—DOUBLE-FRONTAGE Block, having 57½ft frontage, by depth 141ft 9 inches, along a passage.
2. NEW STREET.—Block, at rear of above, having 120 feet to New-street, depth 123½ft.
TORRENS TITLE. SITUATE CLOSE TO TRAM and neighboured by high-class residences.
AUCTION SALE of ABOVE, at the Rooms, 98 Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 19th APRIL, at 11.30 a.m.
RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd. (6291)

AUCTION SALES.

TO INVESTORS, TRUSTEES, AND OTHERS.

GOOD PAYING TERRACES.

LOT 1.—SURRY HILLS, near Oxford-street, TERRACE of TEN HOUSES, Nos. 11 to 29 BLOOMFIELD-STREET, at the corner of DENHAM-STREET; lane on the other side, also at rear.
They are built of brick, painted iron roofs, verandah and balcony in front, and each contains half-hall, 5 rooms, kitchen, washshed, and bathroom. Nos. 11 and 17 have no hall.
RENTAL, £520 PER ANNUM.
The Land has 138 feet frontage by 80 feet. Torrens Title.
*** A few feet from Campbell-street, between Crown and Bourke streets, within easy walking distance of business centre.

LOT 2.—PADDINGTON, near Oxford-street, TERRACE OF ELEVEN HOUSES.
Nos. 3 to 23, of brick, cemented and painted, slate roofs, verandahs (tiled) and balconies in front, and each contains 4 rooms, kitchen, and washhouse-bathroom combined.
On east side of William-street, at the corner of Victoria-street.
RENTAL, £514/16/ PER ANNUM.
The Land, 132 feet frontage to William-street, by 82 feet along Victoria-street, extending to lane at rear.

LOT 3.—NORTH SYDNEY.—The MASONIC HALL, built of brick, cemented, containing on GROUND FLOOR Vestibule, 2 Shops, 6 rooms, Hall 72 x 45, Supper-room, Kitchen, etc. On FIRST FLOOR are Lodge Room, 3 rooms, kitchen, and bathroom.
LAND has a frontage of 55 feet to Walker-street, by a depth of 120 feet back to a lane.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, LTD., in conjunction with MACDONALD and CO., Bondi Junction, will sell by auction, at the Rooms, on FRIDAY, 19th APRIL, at 11.30 a.m.,
The above City and Suburban Investments. (6259)

CRONULLA.

TWO EXCELLENT ALLOTMENTS, on Hill Crest Estate, each 66 x 180 ft, fronting BURRANEER BAY-ROAD, at corner of Woolloowarre-road, being Lots 1 and 2, with views over Burraneer Bay. A Corner Block, handy to tram. Torrens Title.
AUCTION SALE at the Rooms, 98 Pitt-street, Sydney, on FRIDAY, 19th APRIL, at 11.30 a.m.
RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd.

NORTH SYDNEY.

THREE COTTAGES—Oroya, Sunfield, and Lymington, Nos. 32, 34, and 36—fronting Bellevue-street, a short distance off Miller-street and tram. They contain each verandah back and front, 6 rooms, kitchen, bathroom, and pantry. Land, 128ft frontage, depth 120ft back to a lane.
TORRENS TITLE.
RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd. (in conjunction with PERCY WOODS, of North Sydney), will sell by Public Auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 19th APRIL, at 11.30 a.m.,
The above. (6266)

BARCOM-AVENUE, DARLINGHURST, close to Oxford-street.

SHOP and DWELLING, No. 223 BARCOM-AVENUE, of brick, containing Shop, 4 rooms, and kitchen, side entrance. Land about 19ft by about 60ft deep. Let on lease for 5 years at £49 8s per annum, tenant to keep premises in repair.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd., will sell by auction, at the Rooms, on FRIDAY, 19th APRIL, at 11.30 a.m.,
The above Freehold. (6272)

FOR POSITIVE SALE ON ACCOUNT OF OWNER RESIDING IN QUEENSLAND.

WAHROONGA
—an esteemed, highly-improved, and elevated suburb, 600ft above sea level, and only 35 minutes' run by train.

LOT 1, HAZELDEAN, a substantial, commodious, and well-situated COTTAGE RESIDENCE, with 2 ACRES 3 ROODS OF LAND, at the corner of BURNS-ROAD, COONANBARRA-ROAD, and HILDA-STREET. It is of brick, front tuckpointed, on stone foundations, shingle roof, verandah front and sides, balcony at rear, and containing hall, drawing, dining, and sitting rooms, 16 bedrooms, 2 linen closets, 2 bathrooms, storeroom, and kitchen, with pantry, and 3 rooms in basement. Detached building of weatherboards on brick piers, verandah, 4 rooms, detached stable and coachhouse of wbds., 2 bathrooms, and washhouse. Tennis court, summer houses, fruit and ornamental trees.
The Land has 392 feet frontage to Burns-road, 240 feet to Coonanbarra-road, and about 100 feet to Hilda-street.
***A SPLENDID PROPERTY FOR A HIGH-CLASS BOARDING ESTABLISHMENT, COLLEGE, PRIVATE HOSPITAL, ETC.
IMMEDIATE POSSESSION will be given. INSPECTION BY CARD ONLY, obtainable from the Auctioneers or M'FADYEN and STRONACH, of Wahroonga.

LOTS 2 to 4.—THREE CHOICE BUILDING SITES, each 122ft 8in to northern side of HILDA-STREET, with a depth of 280ft, one being at CORNER of GROSVENOR-ROAD.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, LTD. (in conjunction with McFADYEN and STRONACH, of Wahroonga), will sell by auction, at the Rooms, on FRIDAY, 26th APRIL, at 11.30 a.m.,
The above delightfully situated COTTAGE and SITE, at Wahroonga, only a few minutes' walk from Railway Station.
TORRENS TITLE. (6301)

BY ORDER OF LIQUIDATOR.

LOT 1, CONCORD.—COTTAGE in Macdonald-street, occupied by Mr. Capper. Land 80ft x 126ft. Torrens.

LOT 2, EASTWOOD.—Detached Double-fronted COTTAGE, in Clanwilliam-street, occupied by Mr. Taplin. TORRENS.

LOT 3, EASTWOOD.—Corner COTTAGE, in Railway-street, occupied by Mr. Peters. Land 66ft x 146ft. Torrens.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd., will sell by Auction at the Rooms on FRIDAY, 26th APRIL, at 11.30 a.m.
The above Suburban Cottages, full particulars of which will be published in a few days. (6303)

BY ORDER OF THE EXECUTORS OF THE ESTATE LATE MRS. S. J. ROBERTS.
NORTH ANNANDALE,
handy to tram (2d).

ETHELVILLE, a two-story HOUSE, in ROSE-STREET, between Nelson and Trafalgar streets, of brick, with slate roof. Land, lot 4, section 14, has 20 feet frontage to Rose-street by 110 feet.
RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd., will sell by auction, at the Rooms, on FRIDAY, 26th April, at 11.30 a.m.,
The above-named Dwelling at North Annandale, between trams (Balmain and Lilyfield). Full particulars in next Saturday's issue of S. M. Herald. It is in good order.
TORRENS TITLE.
Messrs. BEERY and SIMPSON are Solicitors of the Estate. (6308)

BY ORDER OF THE EXECUTOR OF THE ESTATE LATE MRS. MOYLE.
ROCKDALE,

CORNER SITE, lot 23, sec. 7, having 52ft to Bestic-street and 150 feet to Cameron-street. TORRENS.
RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd., will sell by auction, at the Rooms, on FRIDAY, 26th April, at 11.30 a.m.,
The above. Plan on view at Rooms. (6307)

NORTH MANLY.

COTTAGE, Quambi, No. 219 Pittwater-road, of brick on stone, slate roof, verandah (tiled) in front, side, and rear; contains half hall, dining-room, 3 bedrooms, bathroom, kitchen, laundry, and pantry. Land 40ft frontage by 120ft deep, also land at rear, having 120ft to Hutton-street and 100ft deep.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd., will sell by Public Auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 26th April, at 11.30 a.m.,
The above, in one or two lots.

LANE COVE RIVER,
on FIELD OF MARS, at Bridge, Page's Landing, and opposite end of Mowbray-road, the latter via Chatswood. THREE Portions of Government Subdivision, Nos. 324 and 325, in area 2a 2r 29p. and 2a 3r 8p fronting River. Also, Portion 320, of 3a 3p, facing Page's-road, near Bridge. Torrens Title. Plan on view.
Estate late ALEX. M. MILNE.
AUCTION SALE, FRIDAY, 26th April, at our Rooms, 98 Pitt-street, at 11.30.
In conjunction with GEO. CLUBB, Balmain.
RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd. (6296)

PALMER-STREET, NEAR WILLIAM-STREET.
COTTAGE, No. 113, of Brick, verandah, 4 rooms, etc. Land, 20½ feet x 97 feet, back to a lane. Easy walk to city and Domain, and near tram stop. Notices from the City Health Officer and Building Surveyor may be inspected at the Auctioneers'.
AUCTION SALE, FRIDAY, 26th APRIL, at the Rooms, 98 Pitt-street, at 11.30.
RICHARDSON AND WRENCH, LTD. (6306)

CLISDELL-STREET, SURRY HILLS.
Off Devonshire-street, near Trams and Railway, just the sizes, in the right place, for constant tenancies.
TWO DWELLING HOUSES, of brick, Nos. 7 and 9, each balcony, 4 rooms, kitchen, bath, and washhouse. Land, 28½ft x 79ft, back to lane.
AUCTION SALE, FRIDAY, 26th APRIL,
At our Rooms, 98 Pitt-street, at 11.30.
RICHARDSON AND WRENCH, LTD. (6305)

RANDWICK.

CHOICE BUILDING SITE, Lot 29, Sea View Estate, having 50ft frontage to Dick-street, near Carrington-street, depth 165ft. Torrens Title.
AUCTION SALE of above at the Rooms, 98 Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 26th APRIL, at 11.30 a.m.
RICHARDSON AND WRENCH, LTD. (6302)

ASHFIELD.
CORNER OF ALT AND TARINGA STREETS.
ESTATE of late NORMAN SELFE, Esq.

EXCEPTIONALLY SUPERIOR FAMILY RESIDENCE, Annesbury, faithfully erected of brick on stone, tile roof, verandahs and balconies front, side, and rear; and containing porch, hall, drawing, dining, and breakfast rooms, 5 bedrooms, bathroom, pantry, and storerooms, kitchen, scullery, laundry, etc., room in tower.
LAND is spacious, 155ft ALT-STREET, 200ft TARINGA-STREET, and bounded by a lane.
The late Mr. Selfe was one of our best Engineers; he built this place as his home. The massiveness and quality of interior work have to be seen to be rightly judged. It is now for realisation.
AUCTION SALE, FRIDAY, 3rd MAY, at our Rooms, 98 Pitt-street, at 11.30, in conjunction with F. W. PARSONS.
RICHARDSON AND WRENCH LTD. (6300)

CHARMING SPOT.
ST. ELMO, RESIDENCE, COMMANDING EXCEEDINGLY PRETTY VIEWS.
CAMPBELLTOWN, ON THE HILL.
Now practically a Suburb of the Metropolis.
THE HOME OF THE LATE Mr. J. B. MOORE.

Is a most faithfully built Residence, and highly finished, slate roof, having verandah, balcony, hall, 10 rooms, kitchen, bathroom, laundry, stable and coachhouse, of brick, iron roof.
LAND has an area of about 35 acres, and is variously subdivided into ornamental and home gardens, shrubbery, and paddocks. Situated on a hill. Only an easy walk to railway station, where call country and its own terminal trains.
Pure Air and Picturesqueness.
AUCTION SALE, FRIDAY, 3rd MAY, at our Rooms, 98 Pitt-street, at 11.30.
RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd. (6297)

AUCTION SALES.

IN THE ESTATE MARIA LANCE, deceased.

KING-STREET, NEWTOWN, opposite Alice-street.

THREE SHOPS and DWELLINGS, Nos. 682, 682A, and 682½ King-street, at its junction with Angel-street. TORRENS TITLE.
RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd., will sell by auction, at the Rooms, on FRIDAY, 26th April, at 11.30 a.m.,
The above SHOP PROPERTY in King-street, Newtown. Full particulars in future issue. (6295)

BY ORDER OF TRUSTEES OF DECEASED ESTATE.

BURWOOD.
CORNER BLOCK OF BUILDING LAND, 100ft to OXFORD-STREET, by 131ft to HORNSEY-STREET.
*** Close to Public School, Council-chambers, and Railway. A good Block for Small Cottages.
RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd., will sell by auction, at the Rooms, on FRIDAY, 26th April, at 11.30 a.m.,
The above described Land at Burwood. (6294)

IN A DECEASED ESTATE.

CITY.

TO MERCHANTS, MANUFACTURERS, AND OTHERS desirous of securing extensive premises close to the CENTRAL STATION.

COOPER-STREET, HOLT-STREET, KIPPAX-STREET, and HERCULES-STREET.

1. Land, having a frontage of about 143 feet 6 inches to COOPER-STREET, by a depth of 178 feet 6 inches along HERCULES-STREET, on which is erected

THE VIRGINIA TOBACCO FACTORY

MOST SUITABLE FOR A WOOL STORE,

and occupying the whole frontage to both streets, and consisting of a most substantial and commodious brick building, the major portion containing Basement and four upper floors, together with ample office accommodation. Cart entrance and yard.

2. Adjoining above. Land having a frontage of about 56 feet to HOLT-STREET, and 44 feet to COOPER-STREET, on which is erected

NO. 24 HOLT-STREET,

a substantial, double-fronted brick Residence, cemented and painted, tiled verandah, and balcony, and containing hall, 9 large rooms, bathroom, kitchen, laundry, and large yard.

3. Adjoining Lot 1.—Land having a frontage of about 78 feet to KIPPAX-STREET, and 73 feet — inches to HERCULES-STREET, together with a stable of 25 stalls, waggon shed, and yard.

TORRENS TITLES.

Particulars of leases and rents, together with orders to view, may be had from the Auctioneers.

RAINE and HORNE will sell the above by PUBLIC AUCTION, in the Rooms, 86 Pitt-street, on THURSDAY, 25th APRIL, at 11.30 a.m. (198)

STERLING INVESTMENTS.

1.—

FIVE SHOPS,
ROSE BAY,

Occupying the KEY CORNER SITUATION.
NEW SOUTH HEAD-ROAD AND NEWCASTLE-STREET
Right at the TRAM (3d) SECTION. Five Modern Brick Shops and Dwellings, all let on leases, with established and thriving businesses.
RENTS, £708 10s PER ANNUM.
SITUATED in the HEART of a PROSPEROUS and PROGRESSIVE CENTRE, a favoured and much-sought-after suburb.

The attention of investors is particularly drawn to this property, as a solid and safe proposition, in a district with immense possibilities and assured future.

TORRENS TITLE.

2.—

ROSE BAY.
Nos. 1 to 6 BEAUMONT-STREET, off OLD SOUTH HEAD-ROAD.
THREE PAIRS OF SEMI-DETACHED COTTAGES, unusually well constructed, built of brick on stone foundations, tile roofs, and each containing hall, 4 rooms, kitchen, bathroom, and laundry.
LAND 40 x 130 TO EACH PAIR.
RENTS, 20s EACH. £104 ANNUALLY.
EACH PAIR.
WILL BE OFFERED IN PAIRS.

TORRENS TITLE.

RAINE and HORNE will sell the above by Public Auction, in the Rooms, 86 Pitt-street, on THURSDAY, 25th April, at 11.30 a.m. (200)

By Order of PERPETUAL TRUSTEE CO., LTD., Executors under the Will of the late BEN MARSHALL OSBORNE.

BOWRAL.

That well-known property,

"HOPEWOOD."

A CHOICE COUNTRY RESIDENCE AND FARM, situate about 1¼ mile from BOWRAL STATION, and comprising an area of about

749 ACRES,

a large portion of which is suitable for cultivation, being of a rich volcanic nature. The whole sound grazing land,
EMINENTLY SUITABLE FOR DAIRY FARMING, for which purpose it is at present being used.
The property is securely fenced, and subdivided into eleven grazing and cultivation paddocks.
The Improvements consist of THE HOMESTEAD—a substantially constructed two-story Residence, containing Drawing and Dining Rooms, Study, 11 Bedrooms, Dressing-room, Workroom, Kitchen, 4 Pantries, 3 Bathrooms, Laundry, Linen Press, etc., also Detached Building of wood, containing 4 maids' rooms and bathroom, detached dairy and kitchen. Brick Coachhouse, 4 stables and man's room, 4 loose stalls and feedroom, cowbails, etc. Also two weatherboard Cottages, of 5 rooms and kitchen, with necessary outbuildings.
The House is surrounded with well-laid-out flower gardens, and there is also a good vegetable garden. Cement Tennis Court.
FREEHOLD TITLE.

RAINE and HORNE (in conjunction with J. G. MORRIS and CO., Bowral) have been instructed to sell the above by PUBLIC AUCTION, in the Rooms, 86 Pitt-street, Sydney, on THURSDAY, APRIL 25, at 11.30 a.m.
Solicitors to the Estate:— (191)
Messrs. WILKINSON, OSBORNE, and BUNDLE.

BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEES.

RANDWICK,

"VENICE," FRENCHMAN'S-ROAD,

A GENTLEMAN'S RESIDENCE,
Substantially built, of Gothic design, and containing a fine Hall, 3 Reception Rooms, and 9 Bedrooms, together with all offices and conveniences.
LAWN AND CONSERVATORY.

A LARGE BLOCK OF LAND, having a frontage of about 190 feet to FRENCHMAN'S-ROAD.
Served by the WAVERLEY EXTENSION TRAM and the LITTLE COOGEE TRAM, now nearly completed, which will give a direct service to the City.
Leasehold Title, having about 70 years to run.

RAINE and HORNE have been instructed to sell the above by PUBLIC AUCTION, in the ROOMS, 86 PITT-STREET, on THURSDAY, 25th APRIL, at 11.30 a.m.
Mortgagee's Solicitor, W. A. WINDEYER, Esq. (208)

VACANT LANDS.

DARLINGHURST AND PADDINGTON.

1. DARLINGHURST.—Land, 56 feet to BURTON-STREET, by 38 feet along CHAPMAN-STREET, Fronting BELLEVUE HILL TRAMLINE, and let on Lease for Hoarding Purposes, at £20 per annum.

2. PADDINGTON.—HARGRAVE-STREET, corner of CASCADE-STREET, a triangular shaped block of land, having a frontage of about 84 feet to HARGRAVE-STREET, the base line being 25 feet. Fronting BELLEVUE HILL TRAMLINE, and let on lease for Hoarding Purposes at £12 per annum.

TORRENS TITLE.

RAINE and HORNE will sell the above by PUBLIC AUCTION, in the ROOMS, 86 PITT-STREET, on THURSDAY, the 25th APRIL, at 11.30 a.m. (209A)

ORDER OF SALE.

SUBURBAN PROPERTIES,
TO BE OFFERED
FOR SALE BY PUBLIC AUCTION,
AT THE ROOMS, 26 CASTLEREAGH-STREET,
TO-MORROW, THURSDAY, 18th APRIL,
AT 2.30 P.M.

CROYDON.—ST. ELMO, 6 CROYDON-AVENUE, 7 rooms, kitchen, etc.
CROYDON.—KIRRIEMUIR, 7 CROYDON-AVENUE, 7 rooms, kitchen, etc.
CROYDON.—EUROKA, 8 CROYDON-AVENUE, 12 rooms, kitchen, etc., 160ft frontage.
CROYDON.—LOCHABER, 9 CROYDON-AVENUE, 7 rooms, kitchen, etc.
CROYDON.—AHURIRI, 10 CROYDON-AVENUE, 7 rooms, kitchen, etc.
CROYDON.—TORONTO, 38 CROYDON-ROAD, 8 rooms, kitchen, etc.
CROYDON.—MONTROSE, 40 CROYDON-ROAD, 7 rooms, kitchen, etc.
CROYDON.—MONTERIHY, 42 CROYDON-ROAD, 10 rooms, kitchen, etc.
CROYDON.—VACANT LAND, TWO FRONTAGES, CROYDON-ROAD AND CROYDON-AVENUE, about 73 x about 211 feet.
CROYDON.—WARATAH, 46 CROYDON-ROAD, 8 rooms, kitchen, etc.
WALKER BROS., AUCTIONEERS.

AUCTION SALES.

ORDER OF SALE
OF
CITY AND SUBURBAN PROPERTIES,
FOR AUCTION SALE, AT THE ROOMS, 133 PITT-ST, THIS DAY, WEDNESDAY, AT 11.30 O'CLOCK.

CITY, No. 58 YORK-STREET, "HOLT HOUSE."—SPLENDID INVESTMENT PROPERTY.

WOOLLOOMOOLOO.—TWO-STORY BRICK RESIDENCE and SHOP, No. 162 William-street. Deceased Estate.

WOOLLOOMOOLOO.—TERRACE OF THREE BRICK HOUSES, Nos. 107, 109, and 111 Palmer-street. Deceased Estate.

WOOLLOOMOOLOO.—TWO-STORY RESIDENCE, Brick, No. 233 PALMER-STREET. Deceased Estate.

WOOLLOOMOOLOO.—BRICK COTTAGE, No. 320 Palmer-street. Deceased Estate.

NORTH SYDNEY.—DETACHED BRICK COTTAGE, HINEMOA, Winslow-street.

WAHROONGA.—LARGE FAMILY RESIDENCE, WAHROONGA HOUSE, fronting Burns-road, Grosvenor-road, and Braeside-street. Deceased Estate.

WAHROONGA.—COTTAGE RESIDENCE, CRAIGMYLE, adjoining Wahroonga House. Deceased Estate.

WAHROONGA.—BLOCK OF LAND, adjoining CRAIGMYLE, Burns-road. Deceased Estate.

WAHROONGA.—BLOCK OF LAND, Warwilla-avenue. Deceased Estate.

WAHROONGA.—BLOCK OF LAND, Grosvenor-road. Deceased Estate.

WAHROONGA.—VACANT LAND, Grosvenor-road and Lockville-street. Deceased Estate.

WAHROONGA.—BUILDING SITE, Coonanbarra-road. Deceased Estate.

BELLEVUE HILL.—VACANT LAND, TWO BLOCKS, Kulgoa-road.

BELLEVUE HILL.—TWO BUILDING BLOCKS, Bellevue-road.

BLACKHEATH.—W.B. COTTAGE (and Furniture if desired), ECCLESBOURNE, Clanwilliam-street.

MEDLOW BATH.—W.B. COTTAGE and Furniture, REDBANK, Portland-road.

EAST GOSFORD.—BLOCK OF LAND, Melbourne and Althorpe streets. Deceased Estate.

BROULEE-EUROBODALLA SHIRE.—VACANT LAND, 48½ acres. Deceased Estate.

HARDIE and GORMAN, Auctioneers.

NORTH SYDNEY,
Just off Willoughby-street, 16 minutes from Boat, and 3 minutes from Tram.

HINEMOA, WINSLOW-STREET,
DETACHED COTTAGE, built of brick, tiled roof, having front and back verandahs, 6 rooms, kitchen (gas and fuel stoves), laundry, bathroom (heater), 2 pantries, etc. Lawn and garden.
Let at 22s 6d per week—£58/10/ per annum.
Land, 66ft 9in x 122ft 7in.
TITLE TORRENS.
HARDIE and GORMAN (in conjunction with GRAY and McDONALD) have received instructions to sell the above by Public Auction, at their Salerooms, 133 Pitt-street, at 11.30 a.m., on
THIS DAY, WEDNESDAY, 17th APRIL, 1912.

AUCTIONEERS' NOTICE.
No. 6 BELMORE-STREET, SURRY HILLS, which was advertised for Auction Sale To-day, has been SOLD PRIVATELY; therefore, will not be offered.
HARDIE and GORMAN, 133 Pitt-street.

NOW AVAILABLE FOR SALE.
The Most Conspicuous Business Corner on THE CORSO, MANLY,
close to the wharf, and immediately in the line of traffic to the Ocean Beach, opposite the Council-chambers, and contiguous to the principal business places.
LAND has about 73 feet frontage to the Corso, 17 feet 8 inches to Gilbert-street, 117 feet 5 inches to Whistler-street, 95 feet 11½ inches on the other side.
On the land are erected W.B. Buildings, let to the following tenants paying:—
J. B. Meyers, £125 PER ANNUM.
R. E. Adrian, £90 PER ANNUM.
A. J. Phillips, £104 PER ANNUM.
And Rates and Taxes.
TOTAL RENTALS, £319 PER ANNUM.
TITLE FREEHOLD.
Messrs. SLY and RUSSELL, Solicitors for the Vendors.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions to sell by Public Auction, at their Sale Rooms, 133 Pitt-street, at 11.30 o'clock, on
NEXT WEDNESDAY, 24th APRIL, 1912.
The above-described important business position in Manly.

The attention of persons desirous of acquiring business premises, Shops, or Offices, is specially directed to the opportunity of securing this magnificent block of property.

CORAKI.
Between the Post-office and a Store, and one door from the Commercial Bank.
BUSINESS SITE, 26ft to RICHMOND-TERRACE by 165ft deep. Torrens Title.
AUCTION SALE at the Rooms, 133 Pitt-street, Sydney, At 11.30 a.m.,
NEXT WEDNESDAY, 24th APRIL, 1912.
HARDIE and GORMAN, Auctioneers, 133 Pitt-street, Sydney.

BY ORDER OF THE EXECUTORS IN THE ESTATE OF THE LATE HARRY RICKARDS, Esq.

CANONBURY, AT DARLING POINT,
MAGNIFICENT MANSION,
STANDING IN DELIGHTFUL PLEASURE GROUNDS OF
1 ACRE 1 ROOD 18 PERS.,
TOGETHER WITH A
SPLENDID WATER FRONTAGE,
THE WHOLE FORMING ONE OF THE FINEST HOMES IN THE STATE.

THE POSITION, situate as it is right at the Point, cannot be excelled, and the vast expanse of Harbour Views are beautiful beyond description.

THE RESIDENCE, with large frontage to DARLING POINT-ROAD, of recent erection, is of red-faced brick, most substantially built, of pleasing elevation, and finished both externally and internally in the latest and most approved fashion.

The Accommodation comprises:—
HANDSOME ENTRANCE HALL.
WELL-PROPORTIONED DINING-ROOM.
ELEGANT DRAWING-ROOM.
COSY MORNING ROOM.
SPLENDID BILLIARD-ROOM.
All these rooms open on to wide tiled Verandahs, and are most perfectly appointed.
6 LARGE, LOFTY, and CHEERFUL BEDROOMS, each possessing a most enjoyable view of the Harbour.
DRESSING-ROOM, 2 LADIES' BATHROOMS, and ONE GENTLEMAN'S BATHROOM, beautifully equipped, with the most modern and up-to-date Bathing Appliances.
SERVANTS' BATHROOM, 2 SERVANTS' BEDROOMS, DARK-ROOM, BAGGAGE ROOM.

THE DOMESTIC OFFICES are very complete, comprising:—LARGE KITCHEN, with Sink, Hot and Cold Water laid on,
Servant's Hall, Laundry, with Tubs and Copper,
Butler's Pantry, Housemaid's Pantry,
Private Pantry, with 2 sub-pantries,
Cook's Pantry, Housemaid's Cupboard, Knife-room,
Wine Cellar (fitted), large Cellarage Accommodation.
Lavatory and W.C.
The House is fitted with Burglar Alarms.

Conveniently removed from the House are:—
A CAPITAL RANGE OF STABLING, with accommodation for 3 CARRIAGES,
4 STALLS, 2 LOOSE BOXES,
STABLE YARD, HARNESS ROOM,
MAN'S ROOM, and BATHROOM.

THE GROUNDS, which are extensive, ARE BEAUTIFULLY LAID OUT, WITH LARGE AND WELL-KEPT LAWNS and FLOWER GARDENS, Etc.
There are also Glasshouse, Fernhouse, first-class boathouse.
CAPITAL SWIMMING BATH, WITH 2 DRESSING-ROOMS, and COLD WATER SHOWER.

There is a wide range of Sea Wall, erected at great cost, enclosing the property on the Harbour Frontage.

THE LAND has a frontage of 280ft 6in to DARLING POINT-ROAD, and contains an area of
1 ACRE 1 ROOD 18 PERS.
TITLE TORRENS.

Inspection only by Orders obtainable from the Auctioneers.

Messrs. Sullivan Brothers, Solicitors, Falmouth-chambers, 117 Pitt-street.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions to sell by Public Auction, at their Salerooms, 133 Pitt-street, at 11.30 a.m. on
WEDNESDAY, MAY 1, 1912,
The above-described Property.

PADDINGTON.
SUTHERLAND-STREET, off Elizabeth-street, 2 minutes from Tram Stop (Bellevue Hill).
No. 69, BRICK HOUSE, slate roof, containing Balcony, 4 rooms, kitchen, laundry, stables, and large yard.
LAND 18 feet to Sutherland-street by 105 feet to 20ft lane at rear.

TITLE TORRENS.

HARDIE and GORMAN will submit the above-described Property to Public Auction, at their Rooms, 133 Pitt-street, at 11.30 o'clock on
WEDNESDAY, 1st MAY, 1912.

ASHFIELD.
CLOSE TO HOLBOROW-STREET, AND FACING THE TRAM LINE.

VACANT ALLOTMENT OF LAND, 60 feet 7 inches to GEORGE'S RIVER-ROAD by 91 feet 8 inches along CARSHALTON-STREET ON ONE SIDE and 100 feet 3 inches on the other, and 58 feet at rear.
Plan on view at the Rooms.

TORRENS TITLE.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions to sell the above by Public Auction, at their Sale Rooms, 133 Pitt-street, at 11.30 o'clock on
WEDNESDAY, 1st MAY, 1912.

SUNRISE ESTATE, KURING-GAI.—702 feet above sea level. Workman's weekly ticket, 4s. Do not fail to catch the 1.17 train NEXT SATURDAY.
BLACKWOOD,
Hay and George streets, Haymarket.

AUCTION SALES.

CITY.

IMPORTANT BUSINESS PREMISES,
NO. 301 PITT-STREET,
adjoining the property of
THE EQUITABLE PERMANENT BUILDING, LAND, AND SAVINGS INSTITUTION,
NEXT DOOR BUT ONE TO THE CORNER OF PARK-STREET,
and
OPPOSITE THE CRITERION THEATRE,
IN ONE OF THE MOST IMPROVING PARTS OF THE CITY.

THE BUILDING is of a handsome elevation, most substantially erected, with solid cut stone front, comprising the following accommodation:—
ON THE GROUND FLOOR—
TWO SHOPS,
TILED ENTRANCE HALL, LEADING to
A SUITE OF 3 LARGE ROOMS AT REAR.
ON THE 1ST FLOOR, TWO LARGE ROOMS.
ON THE 2ND FLOOR, TWO LARGE ROOMS.
ON THE 3RD FLOOR, TWO LARGE ROOMS.
ON THE 4TH FLOOR, CARETAKER'S QUARTERS, of three rooms and kitchen.
THERE IS A HYDRAULIC PASSENGER LIFT;
Also STORAGE ACCOMMODATION IN BASEMENT.

THE GREATER PORTION OF THE PREMISES ARE OCCUPIED BY
THE AUSTRALASIAN TEMPERANCE AND GENERAL MUTUAL LIFE ASSURANCE SOCIETY, LTD.

THE WHOLE PROPERTY IS FULLY OCCUPIED, AND IS SOLD SUBJECT TO A LEASE, HAVING TWO YEARS TO RUN, AT A RENTAL OF
£750 PER ANNUM,
TENANTS PAYING RATES AND TAXES.

THE LAND has a frontage of about
28 FEET 2 INCHES TO PITT-STREET,
by an excellent depth of
122 FEET on the south side, 121 FEET 3½ INCHES on the north side, the rear line being 20 FEET.
TITLE TORRENS.

Messrs. BROWN and MACKENZIE, Solicitors, No. 279 George-street.

SPECIAL ATTENTION IS DIRECTED BY THE AUCTIONEERS TO THE SALE OF THIS PROPERTY, AS OFFERING A SPECIAL OPPORTUNITY OF SECURING COMMANDING AND IMPOSING PREMISES, SUITABLE FOR A BANK OR PUBLIC INSTITUTION, OR TO ANYONE DESIROUS OF ACQUIRING A CITY INVESTMENT OF A HIGH-CLASS CHARACTER.

HARDIE and GORMAN (in conjunction with STANTON and SON) have received instructions to sell by Public Auction at their Salerooms, 133 Pitt-street, at 11.30 a.m.
on WEDNESDAY, MAY 1, 1912,
The above-described Property.

OCEAN BEACH FRONTAGES, NEWPORT.

NEXT SATURDAY.

Special Motor leaves our Office 10 a.m., Sale Day. Return Tickets 5/. Special Coaches meet at Manly steamers leaving Quay 10 a.m., 12.30, 1 p.m., 1.30 p.m. Return 2/. Tickets and plans from INTERCOLONIAL INVESTMENT CO., Ltd., 14 Moore-st. RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd., 98 Pitt-street.

AUCTION SALES of MACHINERY CONDUCTED.
R. G. WATKINS and CO.,
Machinery Auctioneers,
107 Kent-street, Sydney.

AUCTION SALES.

ROSEVILLE LAND SALE,
ON THE GROUND,
SATURDAY, MAY 11, 1912,
AT 2.30 O'CLOCK.

ROSEVILLE is 350ft above Sea.
ROSEVILLE is on the North Shore Line.
ROSEVILLE is distinctly fashionable.

CLERMISTON ESTATE is under ½ a mile from station.
CLERMISTON ESTATE is an easy walk from Roseville Park and Middle Harbour.
CLERMISTON ESTATE is on the Crown of the Hill.
CLERMISTON ESTATE has Splendid Soil.

THE ALLOTMENTS are nearly 200ft deep.
THE ALLOTMENTS Command Grand Views.
THE ALLOTMENTS are Level, Cleared, and Grassed.

THE TERMS OF SALE:
ONLY 10 PER CENT. DEPOSIT,
Balance Quarterly, spread over 5 Years.

TORRENS TITLE. LITHOS. BEING PREPARED.

PIERCY ETHELL AND CO.,
AUCTIONEERS, 3 MOORE-STREET, SYDNEY.

CABARITA, BEAUTIFUL CABARITA.
GLOUCESTER ESTATE.

This Charming Subdivision comprises 48 Choice Elevated but Level Building Sites, with frontages to Moore, Kendall, Bishop, and Elphinstone streets, and Stanford-avenue. Right on the tramline, close to the Park, Correy's Tea Gardens, and in a beautiful situation, each Lot commands most glorious and extensive views of the Parramatta River. The Land, which is in a very handy position, can be reached by boat from the Parramatta River or by tram from Burwood. The tram service is a good and frequent one.

AUCTION SALE, ON THE LAND,
NEXT SATURDAY, 20th APRIL, 1912,
AT 3 P.M.

The Gloucester Estate is only two or three minutes from Mortlake and the Gasworks, and in a position that is rapidly becoming more popular each day. The Estate is well grassed. Every site is a good one. The roads are formed, and the Title is Torrens.

The Terms are exceptionally easy, viz., £5 deposit per Lot, £1 per month, interest 5 per cent. payable quarterly.

H. W. HORNING AND COY.,
AUCTIONEERS, 131 PITT-STREET, SYDNEY.
W. A. JOHNSTON, Esq., Vendor's Solicitor, Vickery's-chambers, 82 Pitt-street.
PLANS SENT TO ANY ADDRESS.

PENSHURST.
DALMORTON ESTATE.
QUITE CLOSE TO THE RAILWAY STATION.

This Fine Subdivision comprises 63 Choice Sites, with frontages to Gloucester and Belmore roads, Dudley, Millett, Basset, and Warwick streets. Beautifully grassed, level land, with a fine open situation. The sites are of liberal areas, and the position is one of the most convenient in this suburb, with a frequent train service.

TITLE TORRENS.

AUCTION SALE, ON THE LAND,
SATURDAY, 27th APRIL, 1912,
AT 3 P.M.

NOTE THE EASY TERMS:—£1 Deposit, 10s per month, interest at the rate of 5 per cent. per annum, payable quarterly.

H. W. HORNING AND COY.,
AUCTIONEERS, 131 PITT-STREET, SYDNEY.
W. A. JOHNSTON, Esq., Vendor's Solicitor, Vickery's-chambers, 82 Pitt-street.

DRUMMOYNE.
EUROKA ESTATE, EUROKA ESTATE,

A CHOICE SUBDIVISION, beautifully situate in one of the most charming positions in this popular Suburb—together with the Brick Residence,
"EUROKA," AND GROUNDS.

AUCTION SALE ON THE LAND,
SATURDAY, 4th MAY, 1912, AT 3 P.M.
TORRENS TITLE. EASY TERMS.

H. W. HORNING AND COY.,
131 PITT-STREET, SYDNEY.
A. GRAFF and CO., Property Agents, Drummoyne, Auctioneers in Conjunction.

SUNRISE ESTATE,
KURING-GAI.
NORTH SHORE LINE,
702 FEET ABOVE SEA LEVEL.

The creation of a NEW TOWNSHIP. 4 MINUTES from the railway station. Facing THE RAILWAY LINE.
Handy to water of COWAN CREEK, BATHING, BOATING, FISHING.

£1 DEPOSIT. £1 MONTHLY. TORRENS TITLE.

Catch the 1.17 or 2.10 train to the GREAT AUCTION SALE, on the Ground,
SATURDAY, APRIL 20, AT 3 O'CLOCK.

A Big Estate, Lovely Views. Lovely Land. Also several Farm Lots. Just past HORNSBY. Better than the Blue Mountains, and a good suburban train service. Land you can buy to-day at 15/ per foot will be worth 40/ as soon as development of the great park takes place.

UMBRELLA DAY.—To commemorate the creation of the new estate, each buyer will receive a 10/6 Umbrella, Ladies or Gents.

ARTHUR BLACKWOOD,
PROPERTY AUCTIONEER,
HAY and GEORGE STREETS, HAYMARKET. Est. 1890.
ALSO AT 97 QUEEN-STREET, BRISBANE.
SYDNEY'S LEADING LAND SALESMAN.

LEICHHARDT.
"RUTHERGLEN ESTATE."
3 CHOICE BUILDING ALLOTMENTS, facing BALMAIN-ROAD and CHARLOTTE-STREET,
CLOSE TO LEICHHARDT AND LILYFIELD TRAMS TERMINUS.

FOR AUCTION SALE ON THE GROUND,
SATURDAY, 11th MAY, AT 3 P.M.
TORRENS TITLE. EASY TERMS. SEND FOR A PLAN.

BATT, RODD, and PURVES, LIMITED,
Auctioneers, 88 Pitt-street.

POWERS' SECOND SUBDIVISION OF
WILLIS' BUSH,
WINDSOR-ROAD, BAULKHAM HILLS
Just outside the Town Boundary of PARRAMATTA.
Auction Sale, on the Ground, SATURDAY, 27th APRIL, 1912, at 3 p.m.
TORRENS TITLE.
THE PUBLIC WILL FIX THE PRICE.
G. H. MOBBS and CO., Auctioneers, Parramatta, in conjunction with PERCY G. SHARPE, 107 Pitt-st, Syd.

AUCTION SALES.

NEXT SATURDAY.
AUCTION SALE, ON THE GROUND,
3 P.M.

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Absolute FRONTAGES TO CALVERT'S GRAND OCEAN BEACH, QUEEN'S-PARADE, AND BULGOLA-ROAD, JUST BEYOND BOLTON'S CORNER, NEWPORT.

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LOST, Wages Book, between King and George sts, on Tuesday, April 16, 1912; REWARD. Coronation Picture Theatre, Crown and Cleveland streets, Redfern.

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LOST, on 10th inst, between Artarmon Police Station and Farmer's, a large Amethyst BROOCH PENDANT, set in pearls. Reward on returning to Artarmon Stationmaster.

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ONE Pound Rew.—Lost, Br. Dr. Mare, br. like TN on nr. shoul., very fat. 135 Wells-st, Newtown.

REW.—Lost, fr. 268 West-st, North Sydney, Rough Terrier Dog, tan muzzle and legs, collar on.

REW. £1.—Bay Gelding, 1 eye, E (on side) B (rev.) nr. sh., 14 on saddlecloth. P. Conolly, Rookwood.

REWARD.—Lost, from Kensington, Sat. af'noon, sm. Silky-h. Terrier Dog. Hanran, Keba, Villiers-st, K.

REWARD, £3.—Lost, 9th inst, Bondi Jun., York Terrier, heavy coat. Cookson, 159 Grafton-st, Wlhr.

REW.—LOST, D'moyne, Gold Cable Bangle, Sat. aftn. last. W. Lowrey, Rothbury, Formosa-st, D'moyne.

REWARD, £1.—Lost, Leather BRIEF BAG, with initials "A.J.T." on side, and containing documents. Return Clavering, Shirley-road, Wollstonecraft.

REWARD, £2.—LOST, Bay Gelding, at Hurstville, branded 6 upside down nr. shldr., white hind ft., near foreleg blister sign. E. POWER, opp. P.O., Forest-road, Hurstville.

SM. Purse, cont. gold, silv., boat ticket, Wm.-st tram or Macleay-st 'bus. Reward. 'Phone, 794 N.S.

STRAYED, Blk. Horse, sm. star f'head, ch'nut, JMC nr. sh'der. Rew. J. Farrelly, Frenchman's-rd, Rwk.

STRAYED from 50 Campbell-st, Glebe, a small Silky Terrier DOG. Reward.

STRAYED, Brindle and White COW, branded like T (on side) over 3 off rump, tips sawn off horns; reward. J. BRENNEN, Croydon-road, Croydon.

FOUND, Central Rail. Sta., Easter Monday, RING; owner have describing. A. G. Beatson, Wollongong.

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FUNERALS.

ANDERSON.—The Friends of Mr. THOMAS ANDERSON are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of his dearly loved Infant SON, Walter Pugsley Anderson; to leave his residence, 124 Wellington-street, Waterloo, THIS DAY, at 1 o'clock, for the Church of England Cemetery, Rookwood.
C. FIELD, Undertaker,
Tel., 35 Red. 58 Botany-road, Alexandria.

ANDERSON.—The Friends of Mr. and Mrs. C. ANDERSON are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their dearly beloved Infant GRANDSON, Walter Pugsley Anderson; to leave their residence, 124 Wellington-street, Waterloo, THIS DAY, at 1 o'clock, for the Church of England Cemetery, Rookwd.

BURKE.—The Friends of the late Mrs. KATE BURKE are kindly invited to attend her Funeral; to leave 25 Stephen-street, Camperdown, at 1.15 p.m., for Rookwood Cemetery, via Newtown station.
W. N. BULL,
Funeral Directors,
164 King-street, Newtown.

CAVE.—The Friends of Mr. and Mrs. HENRY F. CAVE and FAMILY are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their late dearly loved SON and BROTHER, Leslie P., to leave their residence, 109 Birchgrove-road, Balmain, THIS AFTERNOON, at 2.15 o'clock, for Field of Mars Cemetery.
WOOD, COFFILL, AND COMPANY, LTD.,
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CLARKE.—The Funeral of the late GEORGE HENRY CLARKE will leave his late residence, Folkstone, Marval-street, Auburn, THIS WEDNESDAY, at 2 o'clock, for Church of England Cemetery, Rookwood.
R. METCALFE, Undertaker,
Tel., 86 P'matta. Parramatta.

HOWE.—The Funeral of the late Master HIVO CLEAVE HOWE will take place THIS DAY, at the Church of England Cemetery, Rylstone.
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Head Office, 810-12 George-street, city.

HOWE.—The Funeral of the late HENRY BRYANT HOWE will leave St. James' Church, King-street, at 2 o'clock THURSDAY AFTERNOON, a service being held, and thence to Waverley Cemetery.

McCULLOCK.—The Friends of Mrs. ELIZABETH McCULLOCK and FAMILY are invited to attend the Funeral of her beloved HUSBAND and their FATHER, Patrick; to leave our Funeral Parlours, 41 Oxford-street, Paddington, THIS WEDNESDAY, at 9 o'clock, for Waverley Cemetery.
CHARLES KINSELA, Funeral Director,
Head Office: 116 Oxford-st, city. Tel., 992 Central.

MAYNE.—The Friends of Mrs. A. F. DRYSDALE are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of her late beloved FRIEND, Miss ELIZA WINGFIELD MAYNE, to leave her late residence, 30 Blue's Point-road, North Sydney, THIS AFTERNOON, at 3 o'clock, for Church of England Cemetery, Gore Hill.
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Funeral Directors.
'Phones, 726 and 1100 Central; and 9 North Sydney.

RICH.—The Friends of Miss LILY RICH are kindly invited to attend her Funeral, to leave her parents' residence, Mount View, 82 Gordon-street, Paddington, THIS DAY, Wednesday, at 2 p.m., for Waverley Cemetery.
W. CARTER, Undertaker, Waverley.

RICH.—The Friends of Mr. and Mrs. WILLIAM RICH and FAMILY are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their beloved DAUGHTER and SISTER, Lily, to leave Mount View, 82 Gordon-street, Paddington, THIS DAY, Wednesday, at 2 p.m., for Waverley Cemetery. W. CARTER, Undertaker, Waverley.

ROBERTSON.—The Friends of Mr. and Mrs. HENRY A. ROBERTSON are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their late dearly-loved daughter, EDNA CARMEL; which will leave their residence, Nicholson-street, St. Leonards, THIS (Wednesday) AFTERNOON, at 2 o'clock, for Roman Catholic Cemetery, Gore Hill.
WALTER BRUCE, Funeral Director,
Crow's Nest, North Sydney; and Neutral Bay.

WIGMORE.—The Funeral of the late Mr. WILLIAM WIGMORE will leave our Funeral Parlours, THIS (Wednesday) MORNING, at 8.15, for Necropolis.
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INFANTRY ANNIHILATED.

FIELD GUNS AT HEATHCOTE.

The big guns were again hard at work at Heathcote yesterday, and from 10 in the morning until the retreat sounded great shrapnel shells roared and whistled across the gulches which nestle beneath the Eckersley Ridges. The gunnery competitions, which have been in progress for a week, are now drawing to a close. All the batteries have done good work. The final series will probably conclude to-day.

The first battery to take up its position on the firing line yesterday was No. 2, under the command of Major Pearce. No. 1 battery, under Captain Lucas, put in its appearance a little later, and from the Eckersley Ridges, where the whole of the eight guns took up positions under cover, fire was opened on an imaginery enemy approaching from Camden. The outposts of the hostile force were first seen at Stanwell Park, and the first shells fired by our artillery were timed to burst over the crests in this locality at a range of about 4200 yards. Evidently the enemy's forces, which comprised for the most part infantry, were well reinforced, for, instead of falling back before the artillery fire, they came forward, and took up other positions under good cover at ranges extending down to 2300 yards. At this stage the artillery commander received information that the enemy were endeavouring to turn our army's left flank, and, moreover, were following this operation up, by pushing infantry forward in the neighbourhood of the Red Bluff. This brought the enemy's firing line into ranges varying from 2300 yards down to 1200 yards, and when our guns had satisfactorily located their new positions—and a few shots only were required to find the correct ranges—they got in some fine work. The two batteries soon got the position entirely into their own hands, and drove the persistent enemy from their entrenchments, practically annihilating them in their retreat.

The enemy's infantry in this engagement, which from a spectator's point of view was very interesting, was represented by targets measuring 6ft by 12ft, which appeared intermittently at unknown ranges. The rapidity with which the gunners trained their big field pieces and the accuracy which marked the shooting and the shell bursts spoke volumes for the efficiency of each battery.

In the afternoon No. 3 battery, under Major Heath, went through a similar manoeuvre, taking up a position behind the Heathcote Church shortly after 2 o'clock. The other batteries devoted the afternoon to silent gun drill.

The health of the camp so far has been good, and the section of the Army Medical Corps which is in attendance at the camp has fortunately had practically nothing to do. So far the only casualty has been the loss of a horse, which the other day had its leg broken through being kicked by another animal when both were tethered to the picket line. The injured animal, which was one of the remounts now doing service with the Australian field artillery, had to be destroyed.

DRUIDS IN CONFERENCE.

PROSPEROUS YEAR.

DISPENSARIES' CLOSING HOUR.

At noon yesterday the United Ancient Order of Druids (Grand Lodge of New South Wales) under the presidency of Bro. G. Watt, terminated their annual meeting, which had commenced in the Concordia Hall, Elizabeth-street, on Monday. In addition to the delegates from all the lodges in the State, Victoria was represented by its Grand President, Bro. Allen. There were general expressions of gratification on all sides at the good work which had been accomplished during the year.

A little warmth entered into the proceedings at one stage of the morning, when, despite the protestation of a large number of members, discussion was aroused regarding the closing at 6 o'clock in the evening of friendly societies' dispensaries and chemists' shops. The matter was brought up by Past-President Paterson, who invited members to express their views. He himself went so far as to move a motion that it was not in the best interests of members for the friendly societies' dispensaries to be closed at 6 o'clock.

Cries of "No, no," greeted Bro. Starkey when he rose to say the matter should not be discussed, on the ground that it was a political subject.

Other members submitted that it was only fair that chemists' shops should have a recognised closing time. It was always understood that medicine could be obtained at any time. If this were not so it was for the conference to see that members of the Order could get medicine at any hour at the friendly societies' dispensaries.

The discussion was brought to a close by the carrying of a resolution—as an amendment to Bro. Paterson's motion—leaving the whole question in the hands of the board of directors, it being understood that they would take steps to ensure that members could obtain medicines at any hour.

According to the report of the board of directors, the total strength of the Order at the end of December last was 17,709, a net increase of no less than 2550 members. The actual number of new members initiated last year was 3850. The actual strength of the Druids, according to the official register, is even higher, reaching the very considerable figure fo 19,048. A great effort was made during the year to secure a membership of 20,000, but this just failed. All the same, the directors warmly congratulated the various branches of the Order on the great progress which they had made. It was mentioned that two branches in the metropolitan district—the Britannia, at Paddington, and the Heart of Oak, Newtown—each had a membership list exceeding 500. During the period mentioned £11,060 of the society's funds had been invested in the way of loans.

The excess of revenue over expenditure in the consolidated sick fund during the year was £1390 11s 6d. During the same period 197 mortality claims were paid.

The election of Grand Lodge officers resulted as follows:—Grand President, Bro. Herman; G.V.P., Bro. Rosenbloom; G. Treasurer, Bro. J. W. Kay; G. Secretary, Bro. R. A. Barry; G. Guardian, Bro. Goldstein.

SENATE CAMPAIGN.

LABOUR ORGANISING IN ILLAWARRA.

About 45 delegates from the 12 miners' lodges and from P.L.L. branches in the Illawarra district attended a meeting held at Woonona on Saturday for the purpose of considering means for furthering the campaign of the selected Labour candidates for the Senate, Messrs. David Watson, Ike Smith, and J. Grant. Mr. Grant attended, and delivered an address on effective organising methods. It was decided that an Illawarra senate committee should be appointed, consisting of the delegates present, and Messrs. J. M'Guire (president of the Illawarra miners) and A. Gray (secretary of the Illawarra miners) were elected president and secretary respectively.

The meeting decided to convene an Illawarra Federal Council, with a view to an early selection in the constituency of a candidate to bear the Labour colours.

A COACHMAKER'S COMPLAINT.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—I shall be glad if you will permit me to record a word or two of comment on "A Coachmaker's Complaint," which you publish to-day over the signature of Mr. P. B. Marshall.

I cannot discover the substance of Mr Marshall's complaint, nor in what capacity he complains. As secretary of the Journeymen Coachmakers' Society, he cannot reasonably expect to be consulted by an association of employers as to how they should conduct their proceedings, or as to what they should say. Possibly, as a taxpayer, he regards himself as entitled to complain, for, he says, referring to the tenth convention of the Carriage and Waggon Builders' Association of Australia, "these conventions, as they are called, take place periodically, and are fostered by the custom of our railway authorities granting privileges to persons attending them." He would be on good ground here if it were not that the facts are against him, because no concessions are made by the Railway Commissioners in Australia to members attending conventions held during or near the Easter holidays. The Carriage and Waggon Builders' Convention was held at Easter, and was attended by coachbuilders from New South Wales, South Australia, Victoria, Tasmania, Queensland, and New Zealand, who came entirely at their own expense, and on terms which were available to all other persons. Many came by sea. Mr. Marshall must, therefore, account for the success of the convention in some other way.

As for the balance of Mr. Marshall's letter, it is too long, incoherent, and inconsequential for me to follow. It may or may not have relevance to purely State affairs, but as criticism of the Carriage and Waggon Builders' Association of Australasia does not seem to call for comment.

I am, etc., T. BISHOP,
Secretary The Carriage and Waggon Builders' Association of Australasia.
April 15.

AUSTRALIAN ARMY.

ALTERATION IN ORGANISATION.

IMPERIAL MODEL.

MELBOURNE, Monday.

Important alterations are to be made in the organisation of the Commonwealth Defence Forces, so as to bring them more into harmony with the British practice, in accordance with the recommendation of the sub-committee on military defence at the Imperial Conference of 1909, that "the war establishments of the home regular army should be accepted as a basis on which the organisation of the units of the dominion forces should, as far as possible, be modelled."

It has been decided that the Light Horse regiments shall be organised into brigades, similar to the mounted brigades of the British army, and that the infantry shall be organised on the same lines as the British infantry brigades, with a view later on to their formation into divisions.

As the Australian authorities do not at present propose to maintain the same proportion of field artillery, the number of batteries to be allotted to a division of artillery must of necessity be less, and they will be four gun batteries. Each brigade area will provide a definite quota for its division, and thereby enable divisions to be formed without confusion when the time arrives. In addition, for the provision of quotas for the infantry and their auxiliary services, certain brigade areas will be required to provide Light Horse units and their auxiliary services. The Light Horse will be raised mostly in country localities, while the field artillery will be recruited from the cities. The strength of the various units is to be maintained by the introduction each year of a certain quota of senior cadets who have done their 18th year's training.

The quotas to be absorbed by the various branches of the citizen forces are as follows:—Infantry: Battalions, 150; Light Horse, 76; batteries of field artillery, 26; field companies of engineers, 30; divisional signal companies of engineers, 24; Light Horse signal troops engineers, 6; Light Horse trains Army Service Corps, 7; companies of Army Service Corps, 7; Light Horse Field Ambulance, 11; Infantry Field Ambulance, 18; Wireless Signal Company of Engineers, 9.

In the transition period, as it is intended that clothing of the forces shall be uniform, the distinctive garb of the Scottish Regiment will in time disappear, for the cadet quotas will not be allowed to don the kilt and the sporran, but will be clad in khaki.

MALWA IN QUARANTINE.

MELBOURNE, Monday.

The R.M.S. Malwa, flying the yellow flag, arrived in Hobson's Bay to-day, dropping her anchors off Williamstown. Between 70 and 80 passengers have expressed a desire to land in Melbourne, but even under the most favourable circumstances no definite announcement as to how many will be released under surveillance can be made before Wednesday morning. A great deal will depend on the circumstances in each case. In a majority of instances where effective vaccination can be proved no difficulties will present themselves, and these passengers are to be permitted to go ashore on signing a bond to report themselves as required. The majority of the passengers were vaccinated on the voyage round the coast. A number of persons who, however, preferred quarantine to vaccination, will be required to spend at least a fortnight in isolation. Soon after arrival lighters were towed alongside the steamer, and either relieved her of the Melbourne portion of her cargo or supplied her with bunker coal. The stevedores employed on the lighters were vaccinated before entering on their work, and will remain with the liner until release is granted them. As soon as possible the Malwa will proceed to Sydney, where she will be placed in quarantine at North Head. There the liner will be cleared up and disinfected before being handed over to the owners.

"GREAT INDUSTRIAL CONCERN."

A STATE'S WAGES BILL.

BRISBANE, Tuesday.

Speaking at West End on Thursday night, Mr. James Allen compared Queensland to a great industrial concern with Parliament and Cabinet as directors. He had received information from the Public Service Board showing how many people in Queensland were in the Public Service, Federal and State, on January 1, what their total annual salaries amounted to, and what was the average pay of each individual. The return was as follows:—State: Classified officers in Public departments number 1009; total salaries, £232,449, average salary £230 3s; unclassified officers, 3273, £318,395, £97 2s; school teachers, 2650, £293,373, £110 7s; members police force, 1044, £153,202, £146 7s; railway employees, permanent, 8918, £1,234,868, £1?? 4s; construction, 4200, £554,409, £132; total State employees, 21,094, £2,786,687, £132 1s. Commonwealth officers of Customs, post and telegraph, defence, audit, old-age pensions, and land tax officers, etc., 2220, £309,665, £139 4s. Grand total, 23,314, £3,096,352, £132 8s.

JAPANESE RAILWAYS.

LEARNING FROM AUSTRALIA.

BRISBANE, Tuesday.

The traffic manager of the Japanese Government Railways in Formosa, Mr. Y. Muragi, arrived in Brisbane by the Prinz Sigismund on Sunday, and proposes to visit all the Australian States with the exception of Western Australia, with the object of learning something of the way in which the railways are run out here. He stated to-day that the railway systems of Japan were in an advanced state. There were 5000 miles of line in Japan proper with powerful engines, and generally up-to-date rolling stock, which was being manufactured within the country. The lines were controlled by the Government, and a 3ft 6in gauge as in Queensland was adopted. On the island of Formosa there were 270 miles of Government railways and 800 miles owned by private companies, the latter in connection with the development of the sugar and other agricultural industries. Mr. Muragi proposes to push on south, and will make more careful inspection of the Queensland railways on his return journey.

OLD MEN ASSAULTED.

LIVERPOOL, Monday.

Late on Saturday night two youths visited the residence of an elderly man, situated near the Liverpool steam brickworks. They seriously assaulted and robbed him of his belongings, consisting of a quantity of clothing and a sum of money, amounting to between two and three pounds. The man's mate, who resided with him, made the discovery on his return home, and immediately gave information to the police. On visiting the place the police found that the old man was badly bruised about the face, evidently the result of blows from his assailants. During an investigation yesterday the police recovered a quantity of the old man's clothing.

While returning home to his residence at Moorebank late on Saturday night by way of what is known as Spanswick's paddock, another old man was knocked down. An arrest in connection with the assault was made yesterday by the police.

PARRAMATTA DISTRICT.

QUARTER SESSIONS.

The Parramatta Court of Quarter Sessions was opened on Monday, Judge Docker presiding. Mr. R. R. Blanksby was Clerk of the Peace, and Mr. D. D. Henderson, J.P., acted as deputy sheriff.

ALLEGED LARCENY.

Joseph Campbell pleaded not guilty to a charge of stealing on November 23, 1911, at Newnes Junction, one pair of boots, the property of the Chief Commissioner for Railways. He was defended by Mr. H. Thompson. It was given in evidence that the accused was a porter at Newnes station. After a short retirement the jury brought in a verdict of not guilty, and accused was discharged.

MOTOR CAR COLLISION.

On Sunday afternoon a motor car collision occurred at Baulkham Hills. It appears that two cars were running towards Baulkham Hills when the rear car proceeded to pass the other. Just as it was doing so another car, the property of Mr. G. Terry, of Box Hill, came along in the opposite direction, and both cars dashed into each other. Both cars were considerably damaged. The occupants of the cars were all thrown out, but they fortunately escaped with a shaking.

PUBLIC NOTICE.

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FINGER-PRINTS.

IS THE SYSTEM INFALLIBLE?

JUDGES NOT UNANIMOUS.

MELBOURNE, Tuesday.

Argument was concluded yesterday before the Full Court upon a Crown case reserved by Judge Johnson during the trial of a prisoner named Edward Parker, who was found guilty of having broken into the warehouse of Webster and Cohen, working jewellers, and stolen the contents of a safe valued at £500. The question for the decision of the Court was whether, when the only evidence against an accused person depends upon the resemblance between the finger prints as in the present case, such evidence is sufficient to support a conviction.

The Chief Justice, in the course of a dissenting judgment, said that he did not agree that the finger-print evidence by itself was sufficient to warrant a conviction. The system itself had yet to be scientifically proved, and the principle upon which it rested was opposed to the whole theory of anthropology. Nature cared nothing about the individual, and everything about the type. So far as the experts' evidence went, it only showed that they personally had not yet, in their experience, come across two finger prints which were exactly similar. Evidence of that kind was, in his opinion, extremely dangerous. Had he been one of the jury he would have been far from satisfied as to the resemblance alleged, and outside of that there was no other evidence. He, therefore, thought that the conviction could not be sustained on such evidence, but a majority of the Court thought otherwise.

Mr. Justice Hodges said that he would say, without hesitation, that the finger-print evidence might well be sufficient to justify a conviction, and in this case the expert evidence was, in his opinion, sufficient to justify the jury in arriving at the conclusion they had. At the least finger-print evidence was more satisfactory than the evidence of a person who had had a mere cursory glance at a person accused. In his opinion, in this case the conviction should be affirmed.

Mr. Justice Cussen agreed that the conviction should be affirmed.

THE SOLOMON ISLANDS.

NATIVE LABOUR SCARCE.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

Nothing of any great importance has occurred in the islands during the past month. The natives are quiet, and not much has been heard of intertribal squabbles. An accident took place at a mission station on Malaita, where two native armed watchmen were employed as a protection against surprise by bushmen. While on watch one mistook the other for an intruding bushman and fired, with fatal results.

Fever and dysentery have been prevalent among the white population during the north-west monsoon season.

With the advent of the regular trade winds recruiting will be resumed. A number of vessels are getting ready to work the islands of Malaita and San Cristoral for labourers. The want of native labour on many of the newly-started plantations is keenly felt. The cost of introduction has increased, and this, with the new labour regulations restricting the term of indenture to two years, is keenly felt by employers. It is generally understood that the alteration of term of service for local native labourers, from three to two years, is on the ruling of the home authorities.

Much discussion is taking place over the new land regulation, which is now being enforced; the Government has closed down on freehold grants, and is now issuing 99 year leases, the rental starting at 3d per acre, and rising to 6s. Everyone is commenting on the change, which is so complete after the free and easy manner of obtaining freeholds.

TRANSCONTINENTAL RAILWAY.

STATEMENT BY MR. O'MALLEY.

PERTH, Tuesday.

Mr. O'Malley states that arrangements have been made for the State Government to supply the rails for the three miles siding from Kalgoorlie, for trains for the Australian railway. Work will be commenced this week.

The Minister also states in respect to the land resumption for the new Perth Post-office, the owners demanded £253,822, but he made a settlement for £166,370. Tenants on the part of the land not immediately required will be allowed to remain. The estimated rents amount to nearly £11,000 a year.

VICTORIA.

JUDGMENT BY CONSENT.

MELBOURNE, Tuesday.

The Chief Justice yesterday concluded the hearing of an action which was part heard on April 1 last, in which the plaintiff was Maurice Newstadt, of Sydney, merchant, and Isaac Hermann, of Green-street, Melbourne, financier, the defendant. The dispute in the action was as to which party was entitled to a substantial dividend which had unexpectedly accrued in the insolvent estate of one Armand Jerome. By consent judgment was entered for the defendant, no order being made as to costs.

"TRAINED MURDERERS."

A BARRIER RESOLUTION.

BROKEN HILL, Tuesday.

Harry Holland, the socialist lecturer, finished a series of addresses here on Sunday in the Trades Hall with a lecture on "The Curse of Conscription." He bitterly condemned the Labour party for passing the Defence Act. At the conclusion the following resolution was carried:—

"That this meeting protests against the vicious and vindictive prosecutions directed against working-class boys who conscientiously refuse to accept service undr the provisions of the Conscription Act, and directs the attention of the workers of Australia to the fact that when the so-called Labour Government has failed to make trained murderers of working-class boys it seems determined to make criminals of them."

"Further, that this meeting of the Australian Socialist party views with indignation the fining and gaoling of Alfred Giles and Henry Holland, and we demand the immediate remittance of the fines, and that the men be allowed to live as peaceful and self-respecting citizens."

EXCITING BOLT.

YOUNG MAN'S PLUCKY RIDE.

MELBOURNE, Tuesday.

A young man named Neil Albert had a sensational experience at Warracknabeal yesterday. Albert was pumping water from the shire dam into a 100-gallon tank, when six draught horses attached to the waggon in which the tank was became frightened at an approaching motor car. Albert jumped from the pump stand, 7ft high, on to the back of one of the horses, and endeavoured to stop the team. The horses, however, had got beyond control, but Albert pluckily held the reins. After going about a quarter of a mile one of the shaft horses dashed into a big tree. The animal was frightfully injured, and had to be destroyed. It was valued at £70. The force of the impact threw Albert against the tree. The harness was torn to pieces, and the waggon smashed to atoms.

Albert was conveyed to the hospital in an unconscious state. It is feared that he has sustained a fracture of the base of the skull, and his condition is serious.

CHINESE REPUBLIC.

REJOICING IN QUEENSLAND.

BRISBANE, Tuesday.

The inauguration of the Chinese Republic was celebrated at Redcliffe yesterday by Chinese, their families, and invited guests to the number of about 400. The toasts honoured were "The King," "The Governor," the "President of the Chinese Republic," and the "Chinese Republican Association."

Mr. J. D. Yow, responding to the latter toast, said the formation of the Republic was a matter of great concern and cause for happiness amongst the whole Chinese race, and more especially for our kindred fellow-countrymen who, living in China, do not enjoy the benefits of a free country such as the one they lived in.

During the day there were numerous fireworks displays.

GREATER MELBOURNE.

MELBOURNE, Monday.

The recommendations of the sub-committee appointed by the conference of representatives of metropolitan councils on June 15, 1911, to formulate a scheme for the constitution of a metropolitan municipal authority, will be submitted to the conference at the Town Hall on Thursday. It is proposed that the authority shall be named "The Greater Melbourne Council," and that services to be administered and controlled shall be water supply and sewerage, tramways, fire brigades, electricity supply, gas supply, rivers and streams, licensing of public conveyances, weights and measures, cemeteries, and crematoriums.

HOBART WOOLLEN MILLS.

HOBART, Tuesday.

A new woollen mill, making the third in Hobart, is shortly to be erected near the Cascades, on property comprising three and a quarter acres, formerly the site of the Government Reformatory, which was purchased by Mr. J. Robinson, of Yorkshire. It is understood that the new mills will be an offshoot of the Australian Woollen Mills, Sydney. It is intended to manufacture blankets and various other classes of woollen goods, and, if the mills are a success, it is anticipated to extend them. For the present from 250 to 300 operatives are to be employed. These are to be obtained in Australia, preferably in Tasmania, but a certain number of skilled operatives will be brought from England.

The plans of the new mills are being prepared in Sydney. Mr. Robinson stated that one of the chief reasons for establishing mills at Hobart was the cheapness of electric power to be made available at the end of the year by the Hydro Electric Power Company.

DESTROYER FLOTILLA.

SHIELD FOR COMPETITION.

MELBOURNE, Monday.

A handsome memento of the visit of the torpedo destroyers Yarra and Parramatta to Byron Bay, New South Wales, in May last, was presented to the Minister for Defence, Senator Pearce, this afternoon at the Navy Office by Mr. Massey Greene, M.P., on behalf of the residents of Richmond River, Byron Bay, and Tweed districts. It took the form of a solid silver shield on a panel of Richmond River silky oak.

Senator Pearce said that he was pleased that the people represented by Mr. Greene had evidenced so keen an interest in the Australian unit. The shield would be competed for by the crews of the two destroyers, and the Naval Board would frame the conditions of the competitions. It would be decided whether torpedo-running, gunnery, or boat sailing should be the form that the annual competition would take.

CONGESTION AT THE QUAY.

PROPOSED NEW TERMINUS.

Some months ago a mixed commission sat representing the Tramway Department, the Harbour Trust, and the City Council to inquire into traffic conditions at Circular Quay. Inquiry was made into a suggestion of the Tramway Superintendent (Mr. Kneeshaw) to make the terminus of the trams now running to Circular Quay, Fort Macquarie. It was then decided to give practical effect to the suggestion, and the work is shortly to be commenced. Two months will probably be required to make the necessary alterations to the lines, and construct a new loop at Fort Macquarie.

DROVER'S DEATH.

BRISBANE, Tuesday.

James Collins, one-time manager of the Brookwood station, and latterly engaged in droving and woolclassing, was found in a dying condition on the road near Longreach. He expired before reaching the hospital.

COMING CONFERENCE.

DAIRY FACTORY MANAGERS AND SECRETARIES.

The annual conference of the Co-operative Dairy Factory Managers and Secretaries' Association will open on Monday, June 17, and arrangements are being made for the contribution of papers on topics relating to the dairying industry.

A special feature of this year's gathering will be the butter exhibition. The competitions will be for salted and unsalted butter packed for export, and salted and unsalted fresh butter for local consumption. The butter will be judged prior to being placed in cold storage, and the points recorded will be for educational purposes only. Final judging will take place on June 17. Messrs. George Stenning and John Russell have been appointed judges, and the Department of Agriculture has been asked to furnish the analysis of each exhibit in the export classes. A full day will be set apart for the conference to go through the exhibits with the judges. The butter shippers, agents, and others interested have been approached relative to trophies and prizes, and have liberally responded, so it is hoped that members will endeavour to make the exhibition as complete as possible.

THE DRINK TRAFFIC.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—Mr. James W. Evans, president of the L.V. Association, in your issue, April 11, takes me to task for having said in a recent address, "The eternal woes are pronounced against those who make and sell strong drink." He asks do I realise my position as a preacher of the Gospel of the meek and lowly Jesus? Yes, I do, and that is just the reason why I base my denunciation of the drink traffic on the word of God rather than current public opinion or habits of society. Let me say it is high time the apologists or defenders of this destructive traffic dropped this sacrilegious use of the name of our Lord and Saviour in association with this business. It is the very worst form of profanity to drag in the name of Christ as a witness favourable to the modern licensed drink traffic. Let Mr. Evans and his friends tabulate the many passages of Scripture in both Old and New Testaments that contain the terrible denunciations upon the makers, sellers, and users of strong drinks, and surely they will find condemnation enough. Mr. Evans says: "If Mr. Davies is earnest for work, let him go forth and seek out the fallen." That, Sir, is just my life business as a member of the staff of the South Sydney Methodist Mission. I and my colleagues are continuously out in the streets and parks of this area seeking out the victims of drink to help them, feeding and clothing the neglected wives and children; sometimes paying rent to save a drinker's family being turned out into the streets. This is our work all the time, and I will tell Mr. Evans that, out of the hundreds of persons relieved, the greater proportion are the families of those who keep the saloonists going. Then comes the question, "Where are the Churches, do they demand total abstinence as a condition of membership?" No, they do not. The Church has her mission to teach and preach Christian principles, and each member must stand or fall on the responsibility of personal application on all questions that appeal to the individual conscience, but Mr. Evans cannot point me the name of any one evangelical Church in these days but what has pronounced in strongest possible terms against the drink traffic; and also urged its members to personal abstinence.

Again, Mr. Evans claims for hotels a place in the social and domestic economy of the day. So do I—at this point we sweetly agree. We of the New South Wales Alliance run a large hotel, and successfully, too, without a bar, but will Mr. Evans not see that the drinking bar is not a necessary portion of the hotel. The bar to the hotel is just what the barnacles are to the bottom of the ship, viz., a veritable nuisance, the only cure for which is to cut them right away, and that as quickly as possible. Mr. Evans says something about the antiquity of the hotel as places where men met and often became repositories of valuable information, handed down to grateful posterity, etc. I will say, in reply, my many years' observation has taught me that most of the habitual customers of the drinking bars become repositories of valueless, loud-mouthed, nothingness, filth, and blasphemy, to be handed down to a not grateful family or society at large. Again, he says, "When distress is shown, who is more ready than the hotelkeeper to assist." May I, in reply use a little illustration, which, I think, will correctly show the extent and value of their aid. Here is a great cliff over a deep gulf. Along the top must travel millions of people, ever in danger of falling over into the depths. The Church and her social agencies are trying to build a stout wall of prevention and protection to save as many as possible from the danger. Then, at the bottom of the cliff the Church has other contingents to pick up the unfortunates, heal their bruised bodies, and nurse them back to sanity and sobriety, or, if necessary, decently burying the remains. The licensed victuallers do occasionally contribute a little towards the cost of axle grease for the wheels of the ambulance waggons or funeral cars. That is about the situation and extent of their vaunted assistance.

One paragraph in this letter of the president is a curiosity in its way. "I can honestly say that I have been an abstainer all my life, because I cannot drink." I will refrain from any suggestions as to the reason. I do not wish to be personal or unkind, but this I do know by wide observation, that for vast numbers of people the only safe course is total abstinence. So, I would strongly advise all the customers of the drinking bars to start right in, and follow the good example of the president of L.V.A.

My last word in reply. We, as prohibitionists, say, Long live the clean and necessary hotel, let their numbers be increased as our business expands, but down with the wretched drinking bars now found therein. Clear out the bars and the many so-called hotels that are only drinking shops.

I am, etc.,
THOMAS DAVIES.
April 11.

BIRTHS.

ALLSOPP.—April 14, at Mosman, the wife of Frederick Allsopp, of a son.

BAYLY.—April 4, at 45 Roslyn Gardens, Darlinghurst, the wife of Edward A. Bayly, of a son.

BOOTHBY (nee Boots).—At their residence, Moore Park, to Mr. and Mrs. G. Boothby, jun., a daughter (stillborn).

HOGAN.—April 10, at Clinton, 40 Goldsbrough-street, Mosman, the wife of T. R. Hogan, of Moree—a son.

LARMOUR (nee Woodman).—October 3, 1911, the wife of R. J. Larmour—a daughter (Julia Agnes).

RAFFERTY.—April 10, at Waimai, Beach-street, Coogee, the wife of Peter J. Rafferty, of Garrawildi, Collarenebri East—a daughter.

STEWART (nee Fleming).—March 29, at her parents' residence, Excell-street, Botany, the wife of Wm. Stewart, of Rookwood Station, Mungana, N. Q.—a son. Both well.

STILES.—April 15, at All Saints' College, Bathurst, to Mr. and Mrs. G. Sydney Stiles—a daughter.

MARRIAGES.

CAMPBELL—JACKSON.—April 3, at St. Andrew's Cathedral, Sydney, by the Rev. E. N. Wilton, Edward, eldest son of the late J. G. S. Campbell, of Crisstown, Ardee, Co. Louth, Ireland, to Josephine Heath, second daughter of F. R. Jackson, Kilkea House, Castledermot, Co. Kildare, Ireland. Home papers please copy.

SCOTT—DOBSON.—March 6, 1912, at the Tabernacle, Enmore, by the Rev. G. T. Walden, David Victor, son of David Joseph Scott, of Waverley, to Emily Stella, eldest daughter of the late W. T. E. O. Dobson, of Waverley, and Mrs. E. L. Dobson, of Tempe-road, Bexley.

DEATHS.

CLARKE.—April 16, 1912, at his late residence, Folkstone, Norval-street, Auburn, George Henry Clarke, aged 65 years. At rest. By request no flowers.

EBERT.—April 15, at Waterfall, John Ebert, late of North Sydney, aged 68.

HOWE.—April 16, at his residence, De Val, Doncaster-avenue, Kensington, Henry Bryant Howe, late works manager, Eveleigh. Funeral Thursday. See later notice.

HOWE.—April 16, 1912, at his residence, De Val, Doncaster-avenue, Kensington, Henry Bryant Howe, aged 72, late general works manager of the N.S.W. Railways. A service will be held at St. James' Church, King-street, 2.30, Thursday afternoon. The cortege will then leave for the Waverley Cemetery.

M'INERNEY.—April 13, at her residence, Shirley, 39 Oatley-road, Paddington, Nora, beloved mother of Kathleen and Maggie M'Phillips. (Grafton papers please copy.)

PULLEN.—April 16, at Kalgoorlie, W.A., Frederick Bertie, only son of the late F. Josiah Pullen and Mrs. Pullen, Summer Hill.

RICH.—April 16, 1912, Lily, dearly loved daughter of William and Laurina Rich, of Mount View, 52 Gordon-street, Paddington, aged 35 years. At rest.

ROBERTSON.—April 16, 1912, at her parents' residence, Nicholson-street, St. Leonards, Edna Carmel, dearly-loved daughter of Henry and Kate Robertson, aged 10 months.

SMITH.—April 14, 1912, at her residence, Tenalba, 55 Cambridge-street, Stanmore, Martha, dearly loved wife of Henry A. Smith, aged 76 years.

IN MEMORIAM.

CLAUSON.—In loving remembrance of our beloved mother, who departed this life on April 16, 1909. Inserted by her loving son and daughter-in-law, Tom E. Clauson.

COURTNEY.—In sad, but loving, remembrance of my dear husband and our loving father, Arthur Courtney, who departed this life April 17, 1911, aged 48.

It seems but a day since he bade us goodbye,
His heart full of hope and his spirit so high,
How little we thought when he left us that day,
The grim hand of death would soon tear him away.
So gentle and kind, how we miss his dear face;
Now we know that on earth we can ne'er fill his place,
Tho' asleep in his Saviour, where grief is unknown,
In sorrow and tears are his loved ones at home.

Inserted by his loving wife, Caroline, and children, Arthur, Reg., Dorothy.

COURTNEY.—In ever-loving memory of my dear brother-in-law, Arthur Courtney, who departed this life April 17, 1911.

Dear is the grave where my brother-in-law is laid,
Sweet is the memory that never will fade;
Roses may wither, and flowers may die,
If others forget thee never shall I.

Inserted by Alfred and Bessie Gascoigne.

COURTNEY.—In loving memory of my dear uncle, Arthur Courtney, who departed this life April 17, 1911. Inserted by his loving nephew, Edward Courtney. Gone, but not forgotten.

FARRELL.—In sad and loving memory of John James Farrell, who departed this life April 17, 1906.

Oh, heart of Jesus, mercy
On one we could not save,
Beloved in life, regretted still;
Remembered in the grave.

Inserted by his loving mother, sister, and brothers. R.I.P.

FLANAGAN.—In sad but loving remembrance of our dear brother, Joseph Fitzpatrick Flanagan, who died on April 17, 1900.

We saw him suffering day by day,
It caused us bitter grief
To see him slowly pine away,
And could not give relief.
Not dead to us, we loved him dear;
Not lost, but gone before,
He lives with us in memory still,
And will for evermore.

Inserted by his loving sisters and brothers, and nephew, Lizzie, Annie, Tom, and Jack, and Willie.

GILLIGAN.—A tribute of everlasting love to the memory of our dear mother, who departed this life April 17, 1904. Sweet Jesus, have mercy on her soul. Inserted by her loving daughter and son-in-law, Mary and Frank Goyen. R.I.P.

GILLIGAN.—A tribute of everlasting love to the memory of our dear mother, who departed this life April 17, 1904. Sacred heart of Jesus have mercy on her soul. Inserted by her loving daughter, Annie, and only son, James. R.I.P.

GILLIGAN.—A tribute of everlasting love to the memory of my dear sister, who departed this life April 17, 1904. Sweet Jesus, have mercy on her soul. Inserted by her loving sister, Mary Williams. R.I.P.

GRIBBEN.—In sad but loving memory of my dearly-loved brother, Bob, who died at his brother's residence, Parramatta, April 17, 1910. Sadly missed by his sister and brother, Violet and Tom Buttel.

GRIBBEN.—In loving memory of our dear uncle, Bob, Robert Owen Gribben, who died April 17, 1910, aged 32 years. Inserted by his nieces and nephews, Mrs. G. Cooper, Mrs. J. Acton, Ruby, Lena, Elsie, Tom, Will, and Syd. Buttel.

GRIBBEN.—In fond remembrance of our friend, Robert O. Gribben, who departed this life April 17th, 1910. Deeply regretted by W. and R. Lette.

HALVERSON.—In loving memory of our dear mother and mother-in-law, Martha Halverson, who died at Arncliffe, 17th April, 1910. Inserted by her loving son and daughter-in-law, Henry and Edith Halverson.

HALVERSON.—In loving memory of my dear mother, Martha Halverson, who departed this life April 17th, 1910. Inserted by her loving daughter, Ada Tristram.

MASON.—In fond and loving memory of our darling mother, Judith Ellen Mason, who died on 17th April, 1904.

When days are dark and friends are few,
My darling mother, we long for you.
Eight years are past, our hearts are sore;
As years roll on we miss you more.

Inserted by her loving children, Edmund Mason, Mr., Mrs. A. Mason, Mr., Mrs. A. Anderson, Mr., Mrs. H. Russell, Mr., Mrs. D. Collins, Mr., Mrs. P. Mason, and her dear little grandchildren.

McCARTHY.—In loving memory of my dear son and our brother, Joseph Victor, who departed this life April 17th, 1905, aged 12 years and 5 months. Inserted by his loving mother, sister, and brother, E. E. J. McCarthy. R.I.P.

McCARTHY.—In loving memory of our dear friend, Joseph Victor, who departed this life April 17th, 1905, aged 12 years and 5 months. Inserted by loving friends, George Camu and Eva O'Halloran. Dead, but not forgotten. R.I.P.

MOORE.—In loving memory of my dear son, John Wesley, who departed this life April 17, 1910. Inserted by his loving mother.

MOORE.—In loving memory of J. W. Moore (Uncle Jack), who died April 17, 1910. Inserted by Doris and Madge.

NEVILLE.—In sad but loving memory of my dear husband and our dear father, John Neville, who departed this life at Liverpool, April 17, 1910. Rest in peace. Inserted by his wife and family.

NEVILLE.—In very sorrowful and ever-loving remembrance of our dear father and grandfather, John Neville, who departed this life April 17, 1910.

Thou art not forgotten, dearest father,
Nor will thou ever be,
As long as life and memory last,
We shall remember thee.

Inserted by his loving daughters, son-in-law, and granddaughter, Maud, Lizzie, Joe, and Dorothy. Rest in peace.

O'GRADY.—In loving remembrance of our dear father, Patrick O'Grady, who departed this life April 17. Gone, but not forgotten. Inserted by his loving son and daughter-in-law, Sidney and Clara O'Grady.

PEARS.—In sad, but loving, memory of my dear husband and our father, Frederick, who departed this life April 17, 1909.

We who love him, sadly miss him;
Though we know that God knew best.

Inserted by his loving wife and children, Polly, Fred, May.

PEARS.—In sad, but loving, memory of our dear father, Frederick, who departed this life April 17, 1909.

Too far away for sight or speech,
But not too far for thought to reach.

Inserted by his loving daughter and son-in-law, Florrie and Jim.

PHILLIPS.—In loving memory of our little granddaughter and niece, Florrie (Wicky), who passed away April 17, 1910. Inserted by her loving grandmother, uncle, and auntie, Albert and Amy Cox. Sadly missed.

PHILLIPS.—In sad but loving memory of our dear niece, Wicky, who departed this life 17th April, 1910.

We knew not when you left us, Wicky,
You went away to die;
We did not see you suffering, love,
And we could not say good-bye.

Inserted by her loving uncles and auntie, J. Bundy, H. Bundy, E. Bundy, and cousins, Jack, Olive, Tom.

PHILLIPS.—In sad and loving memory of our dear niece, Wicky, who met her death on the 17th April, 1910.

The midnight stars are shining
On the path where you are laid;
The green god holds the secret
That took you to the grave.

Inserted by her loving aunts, Mrs. Ferguson and Mrs. Reynolds.

PHILLIPS.—In loving memory of our dear niece, Florence May Phillips, who met her death at Willoughby, April 17th, 1910.

We never knew the pain she bore,
We never saw her die,
We only know she passed away,
And never said good-bye.

Inserted by her loving aunties, Mrs. T. Reynolds and Mrs. D. Bayfield.

PLATT.—In loving memory of Catherine Platt, who departed this life on April 17, 1909, aged 64 years. Inserted by her loving daughter and son-in-law, Thomas and Martha Gore, and grandchildren.

POTTER.—In sad but loving memory of our dearly-beloved wife and mother, Charlotte Ida Potter, who departed this life April 17, 1911, aged 26 years.

Dearest loved one, we have laid thee,
In the peaceful grave's embrace,
But thy memory will be cherished,
Till we see thy heavenly face.

Inserted by her loving husband, W. H. Potter, and loving daughter, Gladys Rita Potter.

POTTER.—In sad but loving memory of our dearly-beloved daughter and sister, Charlotte Ida Potter, who departed this life April 17, 1911, aged 26 years.

No one knows how much we miss you,
Friends may think the wound has healed,
But they cannot feel the sorrow
Deep within our hearts concealed.

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RISBY.—In sad but affectionate memory of our dear mother, Mary Risby, who departed this life April 17, 1904, at Paddington.

Time hath no power to bear away thy memory from our hearts;
Nor cares that mark life's weary way can bid it hence depart;
But, oh, far away from the world and its pain
We'll meet thee, dear mother, and see thee again.

Inserted by her loving daughters, Pearl and Florrie.

RISBY.—In ever-loving memory of my dear mother, Mary Risby, who departed this life April 17, 1904. Inserted by her ever-loving son, W. W. Cooper.

RISBY.—In loving memory of my dear mother, Mary Risby, who departed this life April 17, 1904. Inserted by her loving daughter, Isabel Lucas.

SMART.—A tribute of unfading love to the memory of my dear wife and our loving mother, Emily, who died April 17, 1910.

No one knows how much we miss her,
One may think the wound is healed;
But they cannot see the sorrow,
Deep within our hearts concealed.

Inserted by her loving husband, T. H. Smart, Percy, and Stella.

SMART.—In sad but loving memory of our dear mother, Emily, who departed this life at Roselle, April 17, 1910. Well beloved.

We miss thy kind and willing hand,
Thy fond and earnest care;
Our home is dark without thee,
We miss thee everywhere.

Inserted by her loving daughter and son-in-law, Amy and Joseph Haddon.

SMITH.—In loving memory of my dearly loved husband, Thomas Noott Smith, who died on the 17th April, 1911.

Gentle in mind, patient in pain,
My dear husband left me, heaven to gain;
With actions so noble, generous, and kind,
Few in this world his equal could find.

Inserted by his loving wife.

SMITH.—In loving memory of our dear father, Thomas Noott Smith, who died on the 17th April, 1911.

We miss thee from our home, dear father,
We miss thee from thy place;
A shadow o'er our life is cast,
We miss the sunshine of thy face.

Inserted by his loving son George and daughters Ray and Kitty.

SMITH.—In loving remembrance of our dear brother-in-law, Thomas Noott Smith, who departed this life April 17, 1911, aged 71 years. Inserted by his loving brother and sister-in-law, John and Sarah A. Jacobson.

SURBEY.—In loving memory of my dear husband and father, John Charles Surbey, who departed this life April 17, 1910, aged 45 years. Inserted by his loving wife and daughter, Mrs. M. J. and Gladys Surbey.

SURBEY.—In loving memory of my dear father, John Charles Surbey, who departed this life April 17, 1910, aged 45 years. Inserted by his loving son, C. B. Surbey.

SURBEY.—In fond and loving remembrance of our dear brother-in-law, Jack, who departed this life April 17, 1910. Inserted by his loving brothers and sisters-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Merrifield, Mr. and Mrs. G. O. Riddles, and Mr. and Mrs. G. H. M'Kinnon.

WATT.—In loving memory of our darling little Kathleen, who departed this life April 17th, 1909, aged 1 year. Inserted by her loving parents, James and Minnie Watt.

RETURN THANKS.

Mr. P. CLANCY and FAMILY desire to sincerely THANK their many kind friends for floral tributes, letters, cards, telegrams, etc., received during their late sad bereavement.

Mr. and Mrs. GEORGE M. EISENHUTH, of Rockwood, desire to return their very sincere THANKS to relatives and all kind friends for kind sympathy expressed during their recent sad bereavement, also for letters, cards, and floral tributes. They wish particularly to thank the doctor and nurses of the Royal Alexandra Hospital for their very great kindness.

The Sydney Morning Herald.

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 17, 1912.

LOSS OF THE TITANIC.

Surely nothing more tragic than the loss of the Titanic has happened in the history of modern steamships. The largest vessel afloat on her maiden voyage has gone down with a loss, it is feared, of fifteen hundred people. This does not give the fact in due proportion, either, because the Titanic was not only the largest vessel afloat—which in itself is a statement that covers a mighty development in shipbuilding—but she was supposed to be the last word in safety at sea. The Atlantic is notoriously dangerous. Its storms and icebergs on the northern route and the ever-increasing traffic of immense steamers make it a perilous path for the traveller between the old world and the new; and the great idea in modern shipbuilding has been to associate not only size with speed, but with unsinkableness. Naval construction has made such strides that it has been almost taken for granted that the new monsters afloat, like the Olympic and the Titanic, would defy any danger—even the awful iceberg. Water-tight compartments and a highly-perfected system of control were supposed to be the final insurance against shipwreck; and even fire has been held to be a small risk with improved machinery and new and well-tried inventions. Yet, in spite of everything, the Titanic has gone down with the greater proportion of all she carried. It shows what must have been the effect of the impact between two such masses as a ship of 45,000 tons driven at a speed we may suppose of twenty knots or over, and an iceberg with nearly the whole of its bulk under water. Apparently naval construction has yet to do a great deal before such a catastrophe can be adequately met. Indeed, we imagine that nothing but science in its search for a preventive equipment can do what is required. Not help in or after collision or wreck, but assistance and warning beforehand, is the great essential. This is the line being followed in the construction of mammoth buildings of innumerable stories. The last word of New York experts is that skill in fire-fighting is not the line along which safety must come, but success in fire prevention. Great steamers like the Titanic will still be built, and will be driven at increasing speeds, but science will probably arm them with a new sense against the dangers of fog and berg, and collisions will become, if not impossible, at least practically harmless.

This moralising, however, does not help us in the dreadful tragedy now filling the newspapers, and moving the heart of the civilised world to new conceptions of danger and sorrow. There may have been more harrowing losses, but never one to touch the world so profoundly. Great ships have gone down, it is true, with never a soul to tell the tale, as in the case o, the Waratah. On the Australian coast we have experienced tragedy after tragedy. The Yongala disappeared last year in a gale, and nothing has come from the sea in the shape of a human cry or word of farewell to relieve the suspense. After twelve months, almost to the day, the Koombana has gone, again with the completeness of sudden death. Other wrecks near and far could be quoted which have moved the world, and disaster again and again has been overwhelming, as with the shattering of our pearling fleets in the north; but never have the nations felt the shock so severely as must be the case with the wreck of the Titanic. For one thing, the North Atlantic has become a genuine world's highway. In a sense that can be applied to no other ocean it has commanded attention because of the tremendous competition between rival steamship companies. Giant steamers have followed one another in swift succession to cross between Europe and America; and every advance in size and speed has been followed by millions of interested folk in all parts of the world. The Atlantic in this respect has set the pace for the whole earth. We are realising the advantages of continued improvements in modern shipbuilding, as tested on that ocean, by the advent in Australia of steamers of ever-increasing cargo and passenger capacity; and we say to one another that the day will come when 30,000 and 40,000 ton vessels will enter our harbours. It is all anticipation based upon the building of Olympics and Titanics; and now the world gets the other side of the picture, and is correspondingly affected by the vastness of possible loss. Yet it must be remembered that there has been a marvellous continuance of successful passages across the Atlantic since the size and speed of steamships became notable. The frequency of the departures from both sides has made travellers think and speak of that ocean as a ferry, and a ferry it has really become, because of the millions who have crossed in safety. There have, no doubt, been prophecies innumerable. It has always been feared that the overwhelming catastrophe would come, but in so many years there has been no series of disasters to warrant pessimism. In the present case sympathy goes out to the White Star Company, because it has taken such a prominent part in developing the Atlantic traffic. Its steamers have been known more for their careful handling than for their speed, and carriers like the Baltic have quite a reputation for steadiness and comfort. But the last two vessels have made a bad start indeed in the greater enterprise of bulk and speed. The Olympic's collision with the Hawke is still being discussed by naval experts, and much interesting information is being elicited about the effect of suction when a large steamer is near a smaller one. The Titanic, however, will only remain as a name. Its fate will be recalled with every return of winter when the bergs float southward, and the story of its sinking will be told whenever it is remembered that these vast blocks of ice may lie awash in the ocean, and add a new peril for those who go down to the sea in ships. For the rest we must express the deepest sympathy with the thousands of mourners to-day who think of the lost steamer as a gigantic coffin. It is fairly clear from our cablegrams that those who have perished come from the poorer classes. The millionaires and first-class passengers have been saved, but the rest seem to have been obliged to stay on the ship, which apparently went down before the mass of people on board could be saved. Those affected on shore must number many thousands, and the whole of Christendom will mourn with them.

FEDERAL FINANCE.

Mr. Fisher anticipates the pleasant task next July of announcing a considerable excess of revenue over expenditure—some £2,000,000, in fact—and thereby silencing those critics who have been unwise enough to animadvert upon Government extravagance. As a matter of fact, this surplus is in no way an answer to these charges, and so far from being a matter for any especial congratulation serves rather to call attention to the extremely critical state of Federal finances at the present time. The day of reckoning may have been postponed for a space, but it must nevertheless arrive. Mr. Fisher has been helped during the past year by a series of extraordinary coincidences, any one of which would under ordinary circumstances have been hailed as a signal piece of luck, and which, taken together, could not but have turned the most deplorable budget into a success. On his own showing a deficit upon the year was expected. The estimates for the current year allowed for the probable expenditure of some £21,000,000, while it was calculated that the revenue would amount to about a million and a quarter short of that. Fortunately for Mr. Fisher, there remained a surplus from the preceding year, which would make up the balance, but surpluses of the nature of that of 1910-11 cannot always be relied upon. Indeed, it appears likely that this one is the last we shall see for some time under the present regime. But Mr. Fisher's luck did not end there by any means. We have recently enjoyed a period of unexampled prosperity throughout the whole of the Commonwealth; we have sold more, and therefore have been able to buy more, and the result has been that, according to the latest statement, it is probable that the receipts from Customs and excise will overtop the original estimate by £2,000,000, and the amount finally included by the Treasury by £1,200,000. No doubt everyone is entitled to hope, and does hope, that we shall enjoy good seasons, and that consequently our Customs revenue will produce more than anticipated, but to base a budget upon such a hope can in no wise be accounted an act of statesmanlike administration, or anything, indeed, but a gamble on the weather.

However, Mr. Fisher's luck did not desert him even at this point. In the matter of expenditure he has been particularly fortunate. On the ordinary votes of the year more than usual has been saved. Again, of the sum set apart for the progress payments of the fleet, a large amount has not been spent owing to the delays that have occurred in building the ships. Altogether, Mr. Fisher has good reason to congratulate himself—although he has none to plume himself. Thus, when the circumstances which led to its existence are examined, the surplus does not appear so satisfactory after all. And, when the commitments of the Treasury are considered, the prospects of the future become still more unsatisfactory. The commitments to which the Commonwealth is pledged are enormous. A slight falling off in imports, a corresponding decrease in the amount of revenue, and where will the money be forthcoming with which to meet them? Certainly the Commonwealth has a last line of defence in the shape of Treasury loans. But when these are all called in, what will happen? Mr. Fisher's adherents have always expressed a pious horror of debt. But it almost appears that the Government will have to swallow its principles, put its pride in its otherwise empty pocket, and borrow. And, in view of its somewhat reckless methods, it will probably find money by no means cheap. Moreover, a Commonwealth loan will undoubtedly seriously affect the borrowing capacity of the various States. Many of them consider borrowing quite a legitimate policy, but if the Commonwealth enters the field as a competitor it may militate very materially against the success of any new loan which they desire to float. From every point of view, in short, so far from being a matter for pride, this surplus anticipated by Mr. Fisher proves to be the result of entirely fortuitous circumstances, and seems likely to mark the beginning of a perilous financial epoch.

RAILWAY PROGRESS.

The duplication of the railway lines between Sydney and Newcastle is now notified as completed, and an important transit development thus becomes available. The value of the improved service now possible is, of course, greater than its immediate bearing upon the Sydney-Newcastle journey. It is also concerned with the services farther north in our own State, and on into Queensland. There is, therefore, a wide area of country interested in the matter, and likely to benefit by reason of the new order of things. It is good to be assured also that the provision for the important and complicated traffic of the coal-mining area is rapidly being made adequate, and that the ordinary passenger lines there will soon be freed of the confusion of truck movement to and from the mines. But the duplication of the Sydney-Newcastle lines in itself is a work of very great value to the State. The traffic to and from the northern city is heavy in both its aspects. Passengers use the route freely, either in its entire length, or sectionally, and goods and stock transit is as important in respect of the north as of the west and south. Both demands upon the line will be well served by the extra facilities now become available. It is surprising, when all is considered, that a single track has been able to compass for so long the necessities of the northern line. It has not done so adequately for some time past, as a matter of fact, and the duplication is not a day too early. But, at all events, the single track has done good service, and the public has every reason to be thankful for the care and intelligence of the railway officials, who, for so long beset with difficulties, have provided, nevertheless, a safe and reliable service of trains. It is probable that the relief to the railway officials by reason of the facilities now provided will be not less than the gratification of the travelling public.

There is a larger aspect of the matter, moreover, in regard to the advantage that is in an additional link with the great northern centre, and through it to the surrounding districts. The city of Newcastle, next in importance to Sydney, is overdue for improved connection with the metropolis. It has been a palpable witness to our slow-going methods that a single line should have been allowed to serve for so long. And the rich valley of the Hunter, in its turn, deserved a quick and unimpeded thoroughfare to Sydney as its distributing centre. In that regard the railway system of the State generally has a lot of leeway to make up. Too many of the lines of communication upon which the harvest of the country both in produce and in stock depends for rapid delivery are handicapped by inadequacy. The works now rapidly in progress just outside the terminals of Sydney reveal the seriousness of the matter in one of its aspects. Its other aspect is revealed as similarly serious at any point south and west, where the main tracks diminish to a single road. On every one of those roads the cry of congestion and slowness has become the substantiated grievance of many years' standing. Railway operations, however, are now about us on all sides, and in all stages of development. Financial obligations of formidable proportions are being lightly shouldered in some cases for discharge as fortune wills rather than as forethought has provided. It is the price we pay for the country's rapid advance, and authority's failure to meet it half-way. But if the demand of the State is to be covered in any adequate measure, railway operations of greater and greater magnitude will remain an unavoidable responsibility of Governments. There is very much to be done in the matter of improvement of railway communications. The Newcastle duplication is welcome as something actually accomplished.

QUEENSLAND ELECTIONS.

There is every indication that the result of the polls in the northern State on the 27th will be eminently favourable to the present Government. The tour of Mr. Denham, the Premier, has resembled nothing so much as a triumphal progress, and the reception given him in the northern electorates has been surprisingly cordial. In such a stronghold of Labour socialism as Charters Towers, where Liberal leaders and candidates have many a time been refused a hearing, the Queensland Premier secured crowded and interested audiences, with a minimum of interruption to his vigorous addresses. The other members of the Government and party are having like experiences, and it seems as if the people of Queensland had awakened to the true intent and purpose of the socialistic propaganda, and are ready to endorse at the polls the Liberal policy. As might be expected, the memory of the socialists' attempt to wrest the powers of government from the hands of constituted authority, and their mad attack upon the community of the capital, is playing a conspicuous and important part in the present contest. The exponents of Labour are hard put to it to explain away or justify one of the most dramatic blunders made by Trades Hall politicians. The more temperate of the socialist party are chewing the cud of bitter reflection on the stupendous folly of Mr. Coyne and his associates, and even the most uncompromising extremist realises the seriousness of the strategic mistake in pushing the tramway badge question to the length of a general strike. It is, however, a crowning mercy to the Liberal cause, which, in Queensland, as elsewhere in the continent of Australia, is identified with sane, just, and progressive government—that the heart intentions of the Labour socialists have been so thoroughly laid bare by the late strike. It seems, from the progress of the campaign, that the people of Queensland are about to administer a crushing rebuke to the arrogant assumptions of the minority, whose boast was that "no person could buy a loaf of bread without the permission of the strike committee," and that rebuke will be an object-lesson to all Australia.

The effect of the awakening of Liberal sentiment in Queensland will be felt beyond the walls of the local legislature. It is not at all improbable that the Prime Minister of the Commonwealth will have to seek pastures new, for there is not a little evidence of a powerful reaction in his own constituency. The people of Queensland do not forget that, influenced by the Hobart Labour Conference, which demanded that the Commonwealth forces should not be utilised for the purpose of quelling domestic revolt, Mr. Fisher refused to do his duty at the call of a constituted authority that had the right to demand. The Prime Minister has made at Brisbane a lame and tame defence of his curious constitutional attitude, but he has yet to reckon with his constituents on that score, and the indignation generated by his attitude at a time when the forces of revolution and anarchy were claiming supreme power in the State, will in all probability find expression through the very effectual channel of the ballot box. The unveiling of the real character and the tyrannous methods of caucus government has had the effect of opening the eyes of many sympathisers to the aims of genuine trades-unionists. The people of Queensland are taking the situation seriously—so much so that many who are now absent from the State are determined to reach the capital in order to record their vote on the 27th. In this they set an excellent example to the supporters of the Liberal policy in New South Wales, and a solid victory for the Denham Administration would greatly stimulate the cause here and elsewhere. Of such a victory there are gratifying prospects from one end of Queensland to the other.

The "Sydney Mail."—The third issue of the new threepenny issue of the "Sydney Mail" contains features of general interest. The Easter manoeuvres at Liverpool and Heathcote afforded scope for descriptive writing by "Tommy Cornstalk" and "Maxim," and the pictures convey a good idea of the work done by the volunteers and permanent forces. This year's Autumn racing carnival was a memorable one. "Milroy's" graphic account of the racing and the horses engaged will please the city and country followers of the sport. In "Behind the Footlights" the revival of melodrama is discussed, and an interview with Miss Caroline Bayley ("Light" in the "Blue Bird" production at the Criterion) is instructive. The steamer Titanic, whose foundering in the Atlantic, after colliding with an iceberg, was reported this week, is pictured. The prospects of the Rugby Union Football this season, pastoral, agricultural, and commercial news, hints for the home, Melbourne's holiday facilities, paragraphs about prominent people in the Commonwealth, nature notes in Outdoor Australia, the library pages, and stories help to make this number magazine-like in character and instructive from cover to cover.

Warrego Trials.—Yesterday the Warrego returned to port after a 24 hours' trial trip. It was what is known as an "economic" trial, all the vessel's resources in the way of oil fuel and so forth being tested. Speed on this occasion did not enter into the question, the grey destroyer being passed by the passenger and other steamers going at half speeds, which is about 12 or 14 knots an hour. She cleared out at about 10 o'clock on Monday, and re-entered the Heads at about 11 yesterday, proceeding to Cockatoo Island, where she was brought up alongside one of the wharfs, near where lay the Parramatta and the Yarra. It is understood that the trial was quite satisfactory. Commander Hyde was in charge.

Colouring Matter in Cakes.—The tendency of evidence before the Pure Foods Commission yesterday was to justify the use of margarine in pastry, and also the use of colouring matter in cakes. It appears, from the explanation given by one witness, that the pastrycooks are compelled to use large quantities of Adelaide eggs, and it also appears that the Adelaide eggs are of a very pale, wan character. The New South Wales egg has a beautiful roseate hue, but its Adelaide rival is wofully deficient in this particular attractiveness. Still, it is considered that for cake-making the Adelaide importation is extremely adaptable. The cakes made from Adelaide eggs have the same paleness, which creates, as happens in other departments of the culinary art, a certain suspicion in the mind of the customer; and, in order to allay this unfounded suspicion against the Adelaide egg, merely on account of lack of ruddiness of yoke, a strong case was made out for the judicious use of artificial colouring. The importance of the matter was shown by the gigantic operations of pastrycooks in the city of Sydney. One firm last Good Friday baked no fewer than 300,000 buns, so that the number baked by all the pastrycooks combined would probably be appalling. The same firm stated that it used 1000 dozen eggs a day.

Health of Mining Townships.—According to friendly society statistics, the health of mining townships, like that of some new country towns, is much below par. This is due to the want of sanitation and a proper system of drainage, it being a remarkable fact that towns spring up in naturally the most unhygienic spots that the localities afford, the cause of this being that they grow unexpectedly. But anyhow the towns often spring up in the very last places that a town-planner would select. The board of the Ancient Order of Druids, Grand Lodge of New South Wales, has declined to open any additional branches in mining districts, for the reason that, according to the registrar, sickness in mining districts is 45 per cent. above normal, and so far no improvement has taken place in this unsatisfactory proportion. Although the board would not open any branches in mining districts, it has established eight new branches in various parts of the State.

The Great Blood Stock Centre.—Sydney is now recognised as the great distributing centre for Australian blood stock, and the annual sales divide the honours of the autumn festivities with the Agricultural Society's exhibition at Moore Park and the racing carnival at Randwick. Though the prices paid for the thoroughbred yearlings this season didn't reach the sensational figures of recent years, there was a good demand for the best sorts. During the six days over which the sales extended 693 head were sold for a grand total of 83,967½ guineas. Messrs. William Inglis and Son disposed of 323 yearlings for 46,709 guineas, and 127 mixed lots for 9907½ guineas, making a grand total of 450 lots for 56,616½ guineas. Messrs. H. Chisholm and Co. sold 176 yearlings for 22,333½ guineas, and 47 of all ages for 5017½ guineas, aggregating 223 lots, for a grand total of 27,351 guineas. Last eek 499 yearlings were sold for 69,042 guineas, an average of 138 1-3 guineas; whilst last year 522 youngsters brought 80,059 guineas, an average of 153½ guineas.

Jews and Druidism.—Evidently the Druids have very great faith in the business ability and integrity of the Jewish community, for, at the meeting of the Grand Lodge of Druids, which terminated yesterday, there were elected to fill three of the principal offices, gentlemen of the Jewish persuasion. For the positions of grand president, grand vice-president, and grand guardian of the United Ancient Order of Druids the following gentlemen were appointed:—Messrs. L. Herman, L. Rosenbloom, and H. Goldstein. This is the more remarkable when it is remembered that the Druids in New South Wales number over 19,000, and the number of Jews among them is less than five per cent. It is worthy of note also that the grand president of the order in Queensland Mr. M. Myers, is also a member of the same community.

Drawing Competition.—The trustees of the National Art Gallery announced some time ago that, with a view to encouraging lead-pencil drawing, a prize had been offered by Sir James Fairfax for the best original drawing of any subject submitted by an artist or art student. A good deal of interest has been taken in the competition, and the secretary of the Art Gallery notified that all works must be delivered at the gallery before the 20th instant.

Boarding a Tram.—In a dispute which was heard in the Banco Court yesterday the issue was whether the plaintiff attempted to get on to a tram in Pitt-street before or after it had resumed its journey to the railway station. He positively asserted that he never attempted to get on to a moving tram in his life, and certainly not at his present age, which was 61. Mr. Justice Pring remarked.—"I certainly have never tried it, as I do not see much use in gaining a minute and losing a leg." A notable fact in the case was that plaintiff was not aware of the serious nature of his injuries until he got home, when he found that his right foot had been so mutilated that amputation of four toes became necessary. He was, however, unsuccessful in convincing the jury that the accident occurred through the negligence of the tram driver or conductor.

Messrs. Angus and Robertson, Ltd., announce that their twenty-sixth annual clearance sale of books, watercolours, and [illegible] begins [illegible].

PERSONAL.

VICE-REGAL.

His Excellency the Governor-General, attended by Captain Stewart-Richardson, visited the Australasian Pioneers' Club yesterday morning, and inspected the collection of portraits. He was received by Mr. Hope Johnstone, president of the club.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Payne lunched with their Excellencies the Governor-General and Lady Denman yesterday.

His Excellency the Governor-General will to-day pay a visit of inspection to the works of the Sydney Harbour Trust.

Sir Joseph Ward left Wellington on Monday night, en route to Australia. He was accorded an enthusiastic send off by a large crowd of supporters.

Sir Arthur Guinness, Speaker of the New Zealand House of Representatives, who is holiday-making in this State, left last evening on a visit to the Mountains. On his return he will go to Newcastle for a day or two.

The Minister for Education, Mr. A. C. Carmichael, who is returning to Sydney after visiting Adelaide, had an interview with the Victorian Minister for Education, Mr. A. A. Billson, yesterday. In the afternoon, with Mr. F. Tate (Director of Education), Mr. Carmichael visited a number of the metropolitan State schools.

The Chief Railway Commissioner, Mr. Johnson, will visit Bathurst on Friday, on his way back to Sydney from his annual tour of inspection.

Dr. Mercer, Bishop of Tasmania, says that there is no truth in a report that he intends to retire from the Episcopate and return to England to take up literary work.

Mr. F. M. Gellatly, financial editor of the "Sydney Morning Herald," leaves by the German mail steamer Gneisenau to-day on a six months' visit to Europe.

The Rev. Frank Paton, M.A., chairman of the student volunteer movement, and Mr. Stanley Addison, B.Sc., general secretary of the Australasian Student Christian Union, will arrive by the Melbourne express this morning.

Captain Amundsen leaves by the Maheno for New Zealand to-day on a lecturing tour.

Mr. J. B. Trivett, Government Statistician, who is leaving for England to-day, was, on Monday afternoon, entertained at a launch picnic by the officers of the Bureau of Statistics and Registry of Friendly Societies. On behalf of the staff, Mr. F. A. Coghlan, Under-Secretary, Chief Secretary's Department, presented Mr. Trivett with a travelling bag and gold-mounted fountain pen.

Nearly every ship that sails for Europe at this time of the year carries away musical and dramatic artists and students, and the Gneisenau will, accordingly, leave to-day with several additions to the list. Miss Emilie Lambert, a mezzo-contralto artist, who has made many concert appearances, will now study for a time in Paris; Mr. Gordon Lavers, L.A.B., is entered for a three-year's course at the Royal Normal School of Music for the Blind, Norwood; and Miss Hylda Ferran, a Franco-Australian dramatic student, who played a small part in Miss Ethel Irving's "Dame Nature" production, will gain further stage experience in England.

The South Australian Government has decided to appoint Mr. Thomas Gepp, S.M., to the position of Police Magistrate, rendered vacant by the death of Mr. James Gordon. Mr. Gepp for several years has been officiating at Port Adelaide.

The Rev. Cecil J. Wood, M.A., principal of St. Mary's Clergy House, Wimbledon, England, who has been appointed Bishop of Melanesia, is said to be admirably fitted to take over the command of this historic mission. He has youth on his side, being only 37 years of age, is unmarried, and, according to an English newspaper, "his keen penetrating face, full of sympathy and understanding, speaks courage, determination, and strength of character, and without a doubt the Church in Melanesia has found a zealous and Christian leader."

Mr. Arthur N. Barnett, S.M., leaves by the Gneisenau to-day for a prolonged holiday in England and the Continent.

Mr. and Mrs. B. R. Morton returned to Sydney by the Makura after eight months' absence from Australia, their tour embracing the United Kingdom, Switzerland, and America.

Mr. W. C. Somers, of the firm of Russell and Somers, one of the leading shipping agencies in Auckland, is, with his wife, on a visit to Sydney.

Mr. F. Waldegrave, late Under-Secretary for Justice in New Zealand, is in Sydney, en route to London, where he intends to reside in future.

DEATH OF MR. H. B. HOWE.

PROMINENT RAILWAY OFFICER.

The death of Mr. Henry B. Howe, lately general works manager at the Eveleigh railway workshops, took place last evening at his late residence, Doncaster-avenue, Kensington, at the age of 72 years. His death removes one of the best known men in railway and engineering circles. Mr. Howe was born in Surrey (England), and came to this State with his parents when he was a boy of 9 years of age, and for almost a lifetime he lived in Redfern. He had as schoolmates such men as Sir Arthur Renwick and the late Sir George Dibbs.

Mr. Howe joined the railway service in 1864 as a mechanic in the machine shop, at a time when the whole of the railway engines in the Sydney district could have been counted upon the fingers of both hands. Some time afterwards he became one of the leading hands in charge of repairs. In 1872 he was appointed foreman of the machine shop, and subsequently general foreman of the workshops. In 1883 Mr. Howe was transferred to the Randwick tramway workshops as assistant locomotive superintendent, being specially selected for the position by the then Commissioner for Railways, Mr. C. A. Goodchap. He remained at Randwick until May, 1889, when he was brought back to Eveleigh by the Chief Commissioner, Mr. Eddy, to take charge of the workshops as general works manager, a position he filled up to the time of his retirement on December 31, 1910.

On two occasions during his managership Mr. Howe visited America on behalf of the Railway Commissioners. As a result the Railway Department profited largely from his observations and recommendations. On numerous occasions railway officers from the neighbouring States visited Eveleigh for the purpose of inspecting some of the latest and up-to-date machines, tools, etc., introduced by Mr. Howe. When at a later date the Commissioners decided to build their own engines at Eveleigh, Mr. Howe was entrusted with the work of installing the plant and launching the scheme, and he had the satisfaction that the undertaking proved a success financially.

Apart from his duties as a works manager Mr. Howe devoted a great deal of spare time to other railway matters, such as the advancement of the Railway Educational Centre and the Institute. He was one of the councillors of the Institute for many years. He also took a keen interest in the railway ambulance movement. For years he acted as one of the staff committee of the railway. The duty of this committee was to inquire into and recommend or otherwise for appointment all applications for employment in any department of the service.

As a railway officer few men were more popular with his fellow officers and held in higher esteem by the men under him than Mr. Howe. He at all times took a lively interest in the well-being of men in the workshops, particularly the apprentices, scores of whom, after receiving their training under Mr. Howe, scattered themselves about the world.

Apart from the railway service, Mr. Howe was well known and highly respected in engineering circles. He was for two years president of the Engineering Association of New South Wales. He was also a member of the Institution of Mechanical Engineers of London, the American Master Mechanics' Association, the Central Railway Club of New York, and the Western Railway Club of Chicago.

When Mr. Howe retired from the railway service at the end of 1910, he commenced practice as consulting engineer, and in this respect his services were largely sought after. He was also appointed to act locally in that capacity for the Baldwin Locomotive Company of America, but sickness overtook Mr. Howe, and he was forced to retire. He spent several weeks in a private hospital, but the case was beyond medical aid, and he removed to his home, where he gradually sank.

Mr. Howe ranked high in Masonic circles. He leaves a widow and two daughters.

A UNITED PARTY.

MR. WADE'S LEADERSHIP.

INDICTMENT OF LABOUR RULE.

LARGE MEETING AT PETERSHAM.

An enthusiastic Liberal meeting convened by the Women's Liberal League was addressed last night, in the Petersham Town Hall, by the leader of the Opposition in the State Parliament (Mr. Wade), Messrs. Cohen (member for Petersham), Ball, Fitzpatrick, and Robson, Ms.L.A., were on the platform. Miss Gillam presided. The hall was crowded. Heads were to be seen at every window, for numbers who were unable to obtain admission listened to the speeches from the various openings. Applause, loud and frequent, punctuated the remarks.

Mr. Wade made a strong attack on the Government. He said the Labour party followed out the principle of secrecy and selfishness in every move. When the conferences were held the first question was, Should the press be admitted? Every conference was safeguarded from the eye of the elector by this prison-gate secrecy. Contrast that with the methods of the Liberal party. Their conferences were open to all-comers. The Liberals did their work in the broad light of day. (Applause.) The arch offence of the party now in power was the exhibition of the past few months of the most disgraceful tyranny, arrogance, and injustice that the world had ever known. (Loud applause.)

"How did they come to have their majority?" he continued. "By sapping the loyalty of a traitor in their opponents' ranks. (Renewed applause.) Despite all the efforts made to reduce the members of the party, there was only one man politically despicable enough to consider the proposal. (Applause.) This Government, who claimed to be the champions of democracy, were not above sinking all principles and living from hour to hour on the smile and caprice of a political traitor."

He was sure that many who voted Labour at the last election shuddered now at the result.

A voice: Give us your policy, never mind about that.

Mr. Wade: My policy is to denounce wrongdoing. (Applause.) No one outside Parliament could have any conception of the treatment to which the Opposition were subjected. But the public, though long-suffering, was not forgetful, and although the other side said the Liberal party had gone to pieces they did not seem much inclined to go to the country. (Laughter.)

A voice: Wood made all the noise.

Mr. Wade: And so would you if you'd been there. (Laughter.) Had Mr. Willis behaved to the Labour party as he did to the Opposition he would have been in pieces months ago. (Applause.)

Mr. Wade then went on to recount some of the happenings of the last weeks of the session, and the incidents between the Opposition and Mr. Speaker, leading up to the proposal of the Government to alter the law. "Anyone who criticised the nominal Premier or the actual Premier—(loud laughter and applause)—could be hauled up before the bar of the House, and tried before a packed jury—our political opponents—who could gaol you or me for the rest of the life of Parliament." This was one of the most outrageous proposals ever made.

A voice: "You don't like it."

"I'm surprised that any decent man should make such a statement as that," said Mr. Wade, the remark being followed by hearty applause.

"These men," he went on, "who climbed into office on the back of Peter Bowling, are now imposing on New South Wales an Act a thousand times worse than any Coercion Act ever heard of. (Applause.) If nothing else were against this Government it should be a blot upon them for all time. (Applause.)

"I would rather see a Labour party in power recognising the principles of fair-play and fair fighting than my own party there disgracing those principles." (Applause.)

"There was an unfortunate tendency now in the country to set class against class. It was embodied in the income tax. The Government believed that they were going to hit what they called the 'big' man, and the small man would escape. In their folly the Government had not learned the first rules of political economy, which was that the tax would be "passed on." This was exemplified by the high rents now prevailing as the result of the land tax. The whole public in the end shared in the burden imposed. It was wrong and foolish to impose one pound of taxation when it could be avoided." (Applause.)

The Government had entered into office with a legacy of a million surplus from the previous Government for a start. They had wound up this year with it all absorbed, and they were now asking the public to "fork up" to the tune of another million in the form of increased taxation. Here was freedom! Here was good government! Here was liberal action on the part of these champions, helped by their friend, Mr. Willis! (Applause.)

"We have endeavoured as best we could to make them meet their masters. It is said that all this protest is because of the desire of Wade to get into office. Well, Wade had the chance last July, and I laid down the condition to the Governor that unless I could hold office with honour I would not take it. Unless I could have the right promised me of an appeal to the people forthwith, to see if they approved my action, I must decline the task of forming a Ministry. When I could not get those terms—which are the foundation of honest government—I didn't break my neck to get into power.

"I'm not concerned about getting into power. My desire is to get these people and Mr. Willis to meet their masters. (Applause.)

"Let the public pass judgment on these wrongdoers, and I'll have not the slightest anxiety about the verdict." (Loud applause.)

The task had become doubly difficult during the last few months, owing to the defection of some in Parliament who were playing fast and loose with the Liberal party.

"So far as I am concerned," he added, "I've no time for an Independent. A man who can't make up his mind which side he is on should not be in politics. (Loud applause.)

"A man must be either an unqualified Labourite, an unqualified Liberal, or an unqualified humbug." (Laughter and applause.)

In respect to the Liberal party he told the audience that, when they heard of it having gone to pieces, the wish was father to the thought on the part of those who uttered such statements. (Applause.) The party was all right. (Further applause.) It was sound and strong, and growing. (Tremendous applause.)

In conclusion, he urged that every effort should be made to turn the Government out of office.

Mr. Cohen in a vigorous speech, said he wished to give the lie to Mr. Griffith's statement, that there was dissension in the Liberal party with respect to the competency of Mr. Wade as its leader. Mr. Wade could have had the highest offer that could be made to a barrister—the Chief Justiceship. But he had a duty to perform, and he declined it, although it was pressed on him. How did that compare with the party whose policy was spoils to the victor? He challenged Mr. Holman to come down to a city audience and make the same statements that he did at Temora. Although the Labour Government had four sessions of Parliament, they had got 16 of their measures through certain stages of the Assembly, and only eight were on the statute book, and of these eight, some were not of their original platform at all. (Applause.)

A Voice: Tell us about the Bursaries Bill.

Mr. Cohen: I said years ago that education should be free and devoid of all secular interference, and that I would never be a party to altering in any way the present educational system of New South Wales. (Enthusiastic applause.) If the details of the bill were fully known by the institutions supposed to benefit under it, not one out of 10 would accept it.

In reply to an interjection respecting the redistribution, Mr. Cohen told his hearers that it had been elicited that Mr. Holman had had the impertinence to send in a map of New South Wales to the Commissioners, showing how he thought the State should be divided. He hoped the evidence taken from members of Parliament with regard to the redivision would be published. If it was given out some very queer things would be seen, especially in regard to Mr. Holman's plan.

Mr. Robson endorsed Mr. Cohen's remarks concerning Mr. Griffith's statement. He said: "Outside the Independents, who have sold their political principles, there will be a united band of Liberals, who will face the people at the next elections behind their leader, Mr. Wade." (Applause.)

Mr. Fitzpatrick advised the electors to take the "prattle" about dissension in the Liberal party with a "ton of salt." They were strong and united behind their leader, Mr. Wade. (Applause.)

HOME FOR IMMIGRANTS.

S.M. HERALD LIST.

Amount already acknowledged	[illegible]
F. N. Yarwood	1 1 0
John Bennett Sharp	1 1 0
Total	[illegible]

We shall be glad to receive and acknowledge future contributions towards the fund established to provide a receiving home for British immigrants. The amount will be forwarded to the British Immigration League.

TITANIC SINKS.

AT SEA.

AN APPALLING DISASTER.

1500 LIVES LOST.

A SUBMERGED ICEBERG.

PANIC IN NEW YORK.

LONDON, April 15, 3.10 p.m.

A message has been received from Halifax, stating that all the passengers from the White Star liner Titanic, which struck an iceberg off the Newfoundland coast, had left the vessel by 3 a.m.

The "Montreal Star" publishes a message that the Titanic is steaming slowly towards Halifax.

VESSEL SINKS.

HEAVY DEATH ROLL FEARED.

April 16, 2.20 a.m.

The Titanic has sunk.

It is known that 675 persons have been saved, but it is feared many have perished.

4.15 a.m.

The officials of the White Star Company believe that 1500 of the Titanic's passengers have been drowned.

The details to hand are meagre and contradictory.

It is believed that all the first-class passengers have been rescued, this estimate being based on the number on board the Carpathia, to which the Virginian transferred the passengers she had saved.

It is so far unknown whether the Parisian saved any.

PANIC IN NEW YORK.

NEW YORK, April 16.

Mr. Franklin, vice-president of the White Star Company, admits that there has been heavy loss of life in connection with the Titanic disaster.

The latest news received here is to the effect that only 675 passengers have been saved, and there were upwards of 2000 souls on board.

The offices of the White Star Company are being besieged by the friends of the large number of wealthy Americans who were aboard the Titanic, and the absence of news has caused excitement almost approaching a panic.

Later.

Mr. Franklin has definitely announced that the Titanic has sunk, and that the Carpathia is carrying the survivors.

"ALL THAT REMAINED."

NEW YORK, April 16.

The Olympic reports that when she reached the scene of the disaster floating wreckage was all that remained of the Titanic.

COST AND INSURANCES.

The Titanic cost £1,250,000. The hull and cargo were insured for £2,350,000.

Reinsurances have been effected at 50 guineas per cent.

866 SURVIVORS.

ON BOARD THE CARPATHIA.

LONDON, April 16, 12.55 p.m.

The Carpathia, while on her voyage to New York, picked up several of the Titanic's lifeboats, in which were 866 passengers, mostly women.

The survivors include Mrs. Jacob Astor, the Countess of Rothes, Mr. Bruce Ismay (of Messrs. Ismay, Imrie, and Co., owners of the White Star Company), Sir Cosmo Gordon, and Mr. Behr, the well-known tennis player.

TWO MILES DEEP.

The Titanic sank between Sable Island and Cape Race, at a spot where the ocean is known to have a depth of two miles.

There were diamonds to the value of a million, and pearls valued at half a million, on the ill-fated liner.

DANGEROUS ICE.

OTHER LINERS' ESCAPES.

LONDON, April 15.

Various liners report having recently encountered an icefield one hundred miles long and thirty-five miles broad off the Newfoundland grand banks. They all had perilous voyages.

The liner Niagara twice had holes pierced in her hull through collisions with the ice. Other vessels report having received damage.

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Veteran Atlantic voyagers state that they have never seen the ice so far south, and of such great bulk as at present. It is mostly in the form of topless bergs, the upper position being merely level with the surface of the water, and difficult to discern.

MONTREAL, April 16.

Incoming liners report the presence of an abnormal amount of ice in the North Atlantic. Several vessels met large icefields off the coast of Nova Scotia.

WORLD'S LARGEST STEAMERS.

The distinction of being the largest vessel afloat was held conjointly by the Titanic and Olympic, both White Star liners. This distinction had not been held for long by one liner during the past five years, but the Great Eastern held the right to the title for more than 40 years. The Great Eastern began her Transatlantic service on July 17, 1860. Referring some months ago to the Titanic, Lord Pirrie said that her cost would be approximately a million and a half. Sir William H. White, K.C.B., in an article in "The Times" on "The Growth of Steamships," predicted that further increases in the size of steamers would undoubtedly be accompanied by economy in the cost of overseas transport and cargoes.

The Titanic, as already explained, was almost four times the tonnage of the biggest P. and O. and Orient liners that come to Circular Quay. She was 882ft long, with a beam of 85ft, a displacement of 50,000 tons, gross tonnage 45,000 tons, and horse-power which enabled her to maintain a speed of 21 knots. Her engines were a combination of twin reciprocating and low-pressure turbines, and she carried three propellers.

About five years ago the Lusitania and Mauretania began their Transatlantic service as the largest and swiftest steamers afloat. The Hamburg-America Company have ordered a steamer which will be larger and swifter than either the Olympic or Titanic, and the Cunard Company will soon have an even larger steamer. Interesting comparisons are given in the following table:—

	Great Eastern.	Lusitania and Mauretania.	Olympic and Titanic.	Hamburg-America Steamship.
Length over all	693	790	882	910
Length between perpendiculars	680	760	850	879
Breadth, extreme	83	88	92½	95
Moulded depth	58	60½	64½	64
Draught of water (laden)	34	34	34	34
Displacement at load draught, tons	22,000	39,000	50,000	52,000
Gross tonnage	18,915	32,000	43,000	45,000
Horse-power	8,000	*75,000	40,000 to 45,000	60,000
Sea Speed, knots	14	25½	21	22

*Shaft.

Type of Engine.—Great Eastern, combination of paddle wheels and single screw; Lusitania and Mauretania, Parson's turbines, 4 shafts; Olympic and Titanic, combination of twin reciprocating engine and low pressure turbine, 3 propellers; Hamburg-America Steamship, turbines, 4 shafts.

The great length of the mammoth Titanic may be gathered from the fact that she is 332ft or 110 yards longer than the largest vessel that visits Australia. The Titanic, for example, is 882½ft long, the lengths of the biggest boats coming to Sydney being Maloja 550ft, Medic 550ft, Medina 550ft, Persic 550ft, Suevic 550ft, Runic 550ft, Malwa 540ft, Mantua 540ft, Orsova 536ft, Orvieto 535ft, Osterley 535ft, Otranto 535ft, Otway 535ft, Macedonia 530ft, Marmora 530ft, and Themistocles 500ft.

MEMORABLE WRECKS.

THE RECORD OF A DECADE.

FIRE, STORM, AND COLLISION.

Notwithstanding the advance made in all matters pertaining to navigation, the present decade has been marked by a grim series of calamitous misadventures at sea. For sheer horror the burning of the pleasure steamer General Slocum, in New York Harbour in 1904, when 1000 persons were drowned or burnt to death, must occupy a place by itself. The loss of the Camorta in 1902, during a cyclone in the Bay of Bengal, ranks a close second in the number of lives lost, involving, as it did, the drowning of the crew, 89 in number, and 650 native passengers. In 1906 the Italian emigrant ship Sirio struck a rock off Cape Palos, and sank, 350 lives being lost. The General Chanzy was wrecked off Minorca in 1910, with 200 on board, and in 1908 300 persons went down in the Japanese steamer Matsu Maru, in a collision off Hakodate. Between 1901 and 1907 there is a grim record of ships burnt or sunk, in each case the death-roll running well into three figures. When the Turkish transport Asian sank in the Red Sea in 1902 upwards of 180 lives were lost. A total of 150 passengers perished in the collision which sank the French steamer Libau, near Marseilles, in 1903, while 131 deaths resulted from another collision, that of the American steamer Larchmont, off Rhode Island in 1907. The United States Pacific mail steamer, City of Rio de Janeiro, carried 122 persons to the bottom with her in 1901, the disaster being increased by a panic among the Chinese. One hundred and twenty-eight went down with the L. and S.W. Railway Company's steamer Hilda off St. Malo in 1905. The same number perished in the sinking, in 1907, of the Berlin, wrecked at the Maas, when the list of drowned included a King's Messenger. The United States steamer Valencia was lost in 1906, and 140 persons were drowned. And, to mention only one more instance, the Ellerman steamer Sardinia, which caught fire while carrying a number of pilgrims from Malta to Alexandria, in 1908, sacrificed the lives of 123 persons, whose only choice was between the flames and the sea.

The annals of recent Australian navigation afford a number of disastrous wrecks. It is scarcely necessary to refer to the mysterious disappearance of the Blue Anchor liner Waratah, foundered with all souls off the African coast in 1909; to the overwhelming of the Yongala, with 120 passengers and crew on board, only last March; the sinking, with all hands, of the Rosedale near Smoky Cape in the same year; or the more recent loss of the ill-fated Koombana on the coast of Western Australia. And the wreck of the Elingamite, bound from Sydney to Auckland, on the Three Kings, when 38 persons were drowned and 149 others only rescued by means of conspicuous gallantry, must be fresh in the minds of all Australians.

Among the more notable wrecks, with the loss of over 500 lives, that took place prior to the present decade, may be mentioned:—The Princess Alice, which sank as a result of a collision in the Thames in 1878, 700 lives lost; City of Boston, foundered at sea, 1870, 700 lives lost; Great Queensland, en route to Australia, blew up at sea, 1876, 569 lives lost; Atlantic (White Star liner), wrecked 1873, 560 lives lost; La Bourgogne, lost in collision off Nova Scotia, 1898, 545 lives lost.

It may be noted that the White Star line, of which the Titanic was the last and most up-to-date production, has been somewhat unfortunate on several occasions. In 1907 the Suevic was wrecked, though subsequently refloated. In 1909 the Republic (which was 170 miles out of her course), collided during a fog with an Italian steamer in mid-Atlantic, and the majority of her passengers were only saved by the timely arrival of another vessel belonging to the same company, which had been attracted by urgent wireless signals for help: while only last year the liner Olympic was rammed in collision with another ship, though, fortunately, without resulting in loss of life.

IN THE ICE DRIFT.

EFFECTS OF THE WARMER WATER.

HUGE FLOATING MASSES OVERTURN.

Huge floating masses of ice, which break away from a glacier or from an ice sheet, frequently drift from the polar regions into navigable waters. They are occasionally encountered far beyond the polar regions. When, however, they rest in comparatively warm water, melting takes place most rapidly at the base, and they sometimes overturn, whereupon one ninth only of the mass is seen above water. When a glacier descends to the sea, as in Alaska, and advances into the water, the depth of which approaches its thickness, the ends are broken off, and the detached masses float away as icebergs. Many of the bergs are overturned, or, at least, tilted, as they set sail. If this does not happen at once it is likely to occur later as the result of the wave-cutting and melting which disturb their equilibrium. These bergs carry a load of debris from the glacier, and gradually strew their load upon the seashore. They do not travel far before losing all their stony and earthy debris, but glacial material found in dredgings show that icebergs occasionally carry their load far from land. The structure of the iceberg varies in its origin, and is always that of the glacier or ice sheet from which it was broken. The breaking-off of the ice sheet from a Greenland glacier is called locally the "calving" of the glacier. The constantly renewed material from which the icebergs are formed is break off, owing to the upward pressure of brought down by the motion of the glacier. The ice-sheet cracks at the end, and masses the water upon the lighter ice, which is pushed into it. This is accomplished with considerable violence.

RECENT ICE REPORTS.

The "Hydrographic Bulletin," published under the authority of the Secretary of the United States Navy gives the following ice reports for February last:—

Halifax, N.S., February 24.—The steamers Tabasco (Br.) Liverpool for St. Johns, N.F., and Halifax, and Almeriana (Br.), Halifax for St. Johns and Liverpool, are reported in ice, where they have been for several days. The former off the Bay Bulls, and the latter is off Cape Race.

February 7.—The Indramayo reports that she passed numerous detached pieces of ice about 12 to 18 inches high. Some were 1000 yards long; other pieces from 200 to 300 feet long; apparently ice from some shore.

PRESERVING OFFICIAL SECRETS.

LONDON, April 15.

At the Central Station Hotel, Glasgow, yesterday detectives arrested August Carl Greaves, who described himself as an Australian. The detectives took action under the Official Secrets Act, and it is alleged found in Greaves's possession a number of documents containing information likely to be useful to an enemy of the nation.

RAILWAY WORKERS.

ALLEGED VICTIMISATION.

LONDON, April 16.

Mr. J. Birmingham, organiser of the General Railway Workers' Union, speaking at a meeting at Hammersmith last night, demanded that the Government should promote an inquiry into the victimisation which was going on in the railway services, and which might cause a fresh strike.

LONDON WOOL SALES.

LONDON, April 15.

At the wool sales to-day there was good competition for all sorts, and prices were firm. The demand from Germany and France was keen for good merinos.

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At the wool sales yesterday there was strong general competition at full opening rates.

The prices indicated were realised for the undermentioned clips:—Australian—Gumbard, /10; Meka, highest /11, average /10½; Noondoo, /11½, /10½; CAA, /13½, /12; Saint Clair, /14, /13½. New Zealand—Potaka, highest /9½, /9; M'Donald, /13, /12½.

The Skin, with its million of tiny pores requires greater attention than is usually bes.. .. upon it. SOLYPTOL SOAP ensures a healthy complexion.—Advt.

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Tivoli Theatre: Vaudeville, 2.30 and 8.
National Amphitheatre: Vaudeville, 2.30 and 8.
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Princess Theatre: Vaudeville, 2.30 and 8.
Lyric Theatre: Moving Pictures, 11 to 11.
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Zoological Gardens: 9.30 to 6.
Wirth's Circus: Belmore Markets, 2 and 8.
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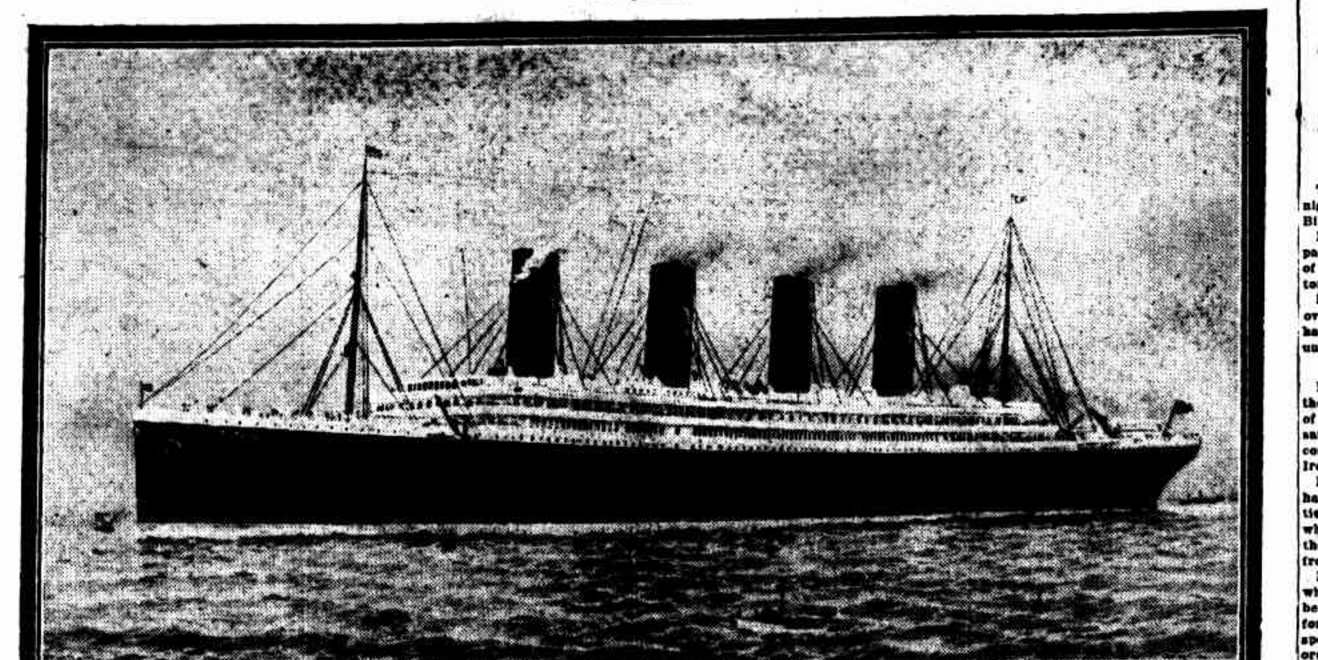

GERMAN DEFENCE BILLS.

A GREAT TOTAL.

THIRTY-TWO MILLIONS STERLING.

BERLIN, April 16.

The Defence Bills have been published.

The navy measure proposes to permanently commission three battleships and three large and three small cruisers beyond the existing arrangements.

It provides for a reduction in the strength of nucleus crews.

Six submarines are to be built annually, and the personnel of the navy is to be increased by 14,859 officers and men by 1920.

The total cost of the two bills will be £32,525,000 up till 1917, of which £10,500,000 will be spent on the navy.

MEXICAN OUTRAGE.

LADY BEATEN AND ROBBED.

AMERICAN CITIZENS ARMED.

MEXICO CITY, April 15.

A Canadian lady, while travelling in Mexico, was robbed by bandits who stopped the train on which she was a passenger. They beat the soles of her feet in order to make her disclose the whereabouts of jewels which she was supposed to be carrying.

The British Minister has been informed of the outrage. The bandits killed the conductor of the train.

The situation in Mexico City is serious, and members of the American colony are armed with rifles.

THE COAL STRIKE.

ENGINEMEN TO RESUME.

The South Wales enginemen and stokers have declared their strike off.

Simultaneously they have protested against the miners' leaders' betrayal of trades unionism by coercing the enginemen's association.

RELIEVING DISTRESS.

LONDON, April 16.

Mr. W. T. Wilson, M.P. (Labour), has received £250 in connection with the New Zealand press fund for the relief of strike distress in West Houghton.

SUFFRAGIST PRISONERS.

REFUSAL TO TAKE FOOD.

LONDON, April 15.

Replying to a question by Mr. G. Lansbury, M.P. (Socialist), in the House of Commons yesterday, the Home Secretary, Mr. R. M'Kenna, said twenty-five of the suffragists at present serving sentences in prison had been fed forcibly. Five of the prisoners had been discharged because they were ill, and ten were still being fed with tubes.

AFTER TWENTY-FIVE CENTURIES.

BERNE, Tuesday.

A vault of bronze, which it is considered was constructed six hundred years before the birth of Christ, has been unearthed at Neuchatel, in West Switzerland. It contained a female skeleton, on which were four bronze and two lignite bracelets.

"A MALICIOUS INVENTION."

BERLIN, April 16.

The "North German Gazette" describes as "a malicious invention" the report from Rome that the German Emperor had said to Signor Cirmeni: "If I had people as intelligent as the Italians I would conquer half Europe."

TEN BURGLARIES IN TEN WEEKS.

COUNTRY TOWN'S RECORD.

KURRI KURRI, Tuesday.

The Masonic Hall was entered by burglars and thoroughly ransacked. Drawers were broken in, and desk contents strewn on the floor. In a drawer of a small table the secretary had left £13 in gold and silver. The thieves missed this cash.

This makes about ten burglaries within as many weeks.

It is known that criminals are living here, having been hunted from Newcastle.

AN UGLY REFLECTION.

DUBBO, Tuesday.

A straying bullock passing the saddlery establishment of Mrs. Hall, in Macquarie-street, was attracted by his reflection in the glass window, and made a rush at it, with the result that the window was very much damaged. The occurrence took place on Sunday afternoon.

The Friend of the Family.
WOLFE'S SCHNAPPS.
A Drink to be grateful for.—Advt.

NEWCASTLE IN THREE HOURS.

DOUBLE TRACK COMPLETE.

WORKS IN NORTH.

The duplication of the railway lines between Sydney and Newcastle is now complete, and the double line will make possible an accelerated train service between the two great ports.

Passenger trains will be enabled to cut the running time down by 15 minutes, as the traffic will be worked on the "block" system throughout, in lieu of the "tablet." This will mean that the fast passenger trains—and there are many running daily on this section—will be able to cover the 102 miles between Newcastle and Sydney and vice-versa, in about three hours. Considering the steep grade encountered between the Hawkesbury and the highlands above Cowan Creek this will be fast travelling.

The last section of the duplication between Sydney and Newcastle was completed on April 1, and on the day following the double line was available for traffic right through, and proved of great advantage to the railway authorities in dealing with the Easter holiday traffic. The last section to be completed was that between Wyong and Ronkana, a distance of three and a half miles. The duplication works have been costly owing to the rough nature of the country in many sections, and the large amount of tunnel and earth work.

Not only has the passenger traffic been facilitated by the completion of the double line, but an improvement is noticeable in the transit of goods and stock trains, which were formerly subject to varying delays in order that passenger trains could pass through. The traffic can now be kept on the move, except where slow trains have to be side-tracked to allow fast trains travelling in the same direction to run through. Moreover, the double track materially assists in the "safe working" of traffic on this busy section. A good deal of work yet remains to be done to bring the traffic facilities up to date, and important works are now being carried out at Ourimbah, Wyong, and Morrisset railway stations, to this end.

The quadruplication of the lines between Waratah and Maitland is being pushed on, and the earthworks are well forward. This work entails long lengths of embankments to bring the line above swamp level, and immediately beyond Waratah a specially big job has been undertaken. At this point the Wallsend coal line junctions with the main lines, and at present the whole of the coal traffic passes through Waratah station before branching off to the shipping berths at the dyke. When the works now proceeding are completed the whole of the coal traffic from the South Maitland coal fields and Wallsend will pass underneath the ordinary passenger and goods lines, and proceed direct to the dyke without travelling through Waratah station. The quadruplication works and the initiation of the Waratah scheme will keep the passenger-goods and coal traffic entirely on their respective roads, and will obviate the necessity for one set of traffic crossing the other.

No active construction work has been carried out yet in connection with the duplication of the Northern Line beyond Maitland, although several new bridges and culverts have been made sufficiently wide to carry the double track.

MR. FISHER'S DEFENCE.

TROOPS AND STRIKERS.

"THE MEN WERE SLANDERED."

BRISBANE, Tuesday.

The Centennial Hall was crowded last evening, when Mr. Fisher (Prime Minister) delivered an address with the local Labour candidates.

In the course of his address, Mr. Fisher said that never had he seen such manly and womanly enthusiasm for what was right since the early days of '90 and '93. He did not wonder at them feeling the degradation of their chief representative in this State saying that he did not think they should be glad to return any member to Parliament unless he belonged to the right thinking party that he (Mr. Denham) did. If Mr. Denham had loved his country more than political advantage, it would not have taken him one moment to decide the right course to pursue. The Government had brought a dual charge against the strikers and the Commonwealth. He would answer for the latter. It was true the Commonwealth Government had been properly approached by the Governor of Queensland, on the advice of his Ministers, he presumed, asking the Commonwealth to send military to Brisbane. Mr. Fisher then proceeded to read the messages that passed between the two Governments.

He had no hesitation in saying to his audience that, with his knowledge of the people of Brisbane and Queensland, he did not feel the same alarm that the Governor-General felt. He thought that even those who were frightened on that occasion would admit that his Government did the right thing. They would admit, he thought, they had been suffering from undue excitement. He was there to say that the time might come when anyone in a responsible position, such as he held, might need to use armed forces to preserve life and property, but there must be a clear indication of the necessity for it.

The strikers had been slandered by the Government, by men who claimed to have the Church behind them, by all the religious organs in the country, and by men who whispered lies behind their ears. Such men were of no use to them in the public offices of the country.

Referring to the tramway monopoly, he said he believed the wives of the tramway workers were living for quite a long time in perfect misery, under the apprehension that any day their husbands might be dismissed for some triviality, because they had independent minds. From the first he had felt that the unionist who donned the uniform of his employer had the right to wear anything to show he belonged to another brotherhood. While he was not asking them to believe the man ought to cover his person, or even his uniform, with all the medals of the organisation to which he belonged still he thought at the time there was justice in the claim.

HOME RULE.

THE COMMONS DEBATE.

MR. BALFOUR'S ATTACK.

"BOTCHED AND UNWORKABLE SCHEME."

LONDON, April 16.

The House of Commons was crowded last night, when the debate on the Home Rule Bill was resumed.

Mr. A. J. Balfour, ex-leader of the Unionist party, paid a sarcastic tribute to the dexterity of the Government in not consulting the electors in connection with the bill.

He declared that the architects of the great overseas federal systems would never have been responsible for this "botched and unworkable scheme."

ILLUSORY SAFEGUARDS.

He ridiculed the talk that there had been of the supremacy of the Imperial Parliament and of the safeguards for Ulster in the bill. These safeguards, he declared, were for English consumption only, and they deceived no one in Ireland.

Ireland should not be regarded as a mere hanger-on to a rich country, as a poor relation. They should view the kingdom as a whole, and not search too closely as to whether any part contributed more than it took from the exchequer.

He asked whether the constabulary, for which Britain was to pay for six years, would be under British or Irish control; and if the former, how was the Irish executive to be responsible for the maintenance of law and order?

A LOPSIDED EXPERIMENT.

The Prime Minister's initial federal experiment, he continued, had proved lopsided and utterly unworthy of British statesmanship. He did not believe that the English and Scottish members would support an insane federal system divided by customs barriers.

If Ireland could use the customs against foreigners the Government would become involved in appalling difficulties arising out of a reversal of the true national policy. Further, the 10 per cent. margin allowed to the Irish Executive would lead to customs barriers between Ireland and Great Britain herself.

"INTEGRATION, NOT DISINTEGRATION."

Great social communities, he continued, felt that they must maintain their position by integration, and not by disintegration. South Africa had realised her place in the Empire by rejecting a home-rule federation and adopting a system of closer union.

Mr. Asquith's lopsided federalism represented only a fair-weather constitution. If the Nationalists really believed that Ireland was a nation, they ought not to be content with such a makeshift. He desired to see the Irish as free as the English and Scots to co-operate in Empire work, and he declared that they had such freedom under the present system.

MR. SAMUEL REPLIES.

The Postmaster-General, Mr. H. L. Samuel, pointed out that Mr. Balfour in 1906 described the granting of self-government to South Africa as a "reckless scheme." It was the denial of, and not the granting of, home rule that led to separatism tendencies. Autonomy, he declared, was essential to Imperial unity.

After accustoming Ireland to expenditure on the English scale, it would be indefensible to ask her to find the whole of her expenditure. The new Parliament, if unassisted, would be faced in the first year with a deficit exceeding one-fifth of the whole revenue. At the same time it would be unjust to permanently saddle the British taxpayer.

He was convinced that when Ireland was prosperous she would share the burden of empire. If the Irish Government were able to economise it could remit any taxes it liked.

It was impossible to give the new Parliament unfettered control of the Customs, as that would be inconsistent with the Government's general policy.

COMMISSION'S SUGGESTION REJECTED.

The financial experts who had inquired into Anglo-Irish finance had found it to be so utterly unsound that they had recommended complete fiscal autonomy, and an annual subvention of £900,000. The Government, however, had been unable to accept this; therefore the whole of the Irish revenue would continue to be paid into the Imperial Exchequer while the deficit lasted, and the total transferred annually from the exchequer would be about £6,000,000. This would not be a grant, but would be derived from Irish taxes.

The cost of the reserved services would be about £5,000,000, and the money loss on them at the outset would be £2,000,000. This deficit would disappear in 10 years if the present prosperity of the country were maintained.

FRENCH AND GERMAN MODEL.

The provision for a 10 per cent. variation in the customs was based on the local government systems of France and Germany. Any increase over the 10 per cent. would go to the British Exchequer.

The Irish executive controlling the excise would control, as a consequence, the duties on beer and spirits, and it would also have power to increase the income and death duties, and to borrow for national development purposes.

THE DISHONOUR OF ASSISTANCE.

Lord Hugh Cecil (Unionist) declared that if Ireland were to be treated as a separate nationality she could not receive without dishonour the financial aid proposed in the bill. She was, in fact, to be reduced from the status of a wife to that of a mistress. He added that he did not see any signs on the part of Irishmen to pay for Irish nationality.

"WHEN MINORITY TRUSTS MAJORITY."

Mr. John Dillon (Nationalist) believed that the Protestants of Ireland were ready to take their share in the public life of the country. The trouble hitherto had been due to the Ulster Protestants' pretensions to ascendency. When the minority trusted the majority it would be the happiest day in Ireland's history.

AN ELECTORAL QUESTION.

Replying to a question, the Prime Minister, Mr. Asquith, stated that the Irish Legislature, after three years, might alter the qualification for electors and the distribution of seats without altering the number of members.

ULSTER UNIONIST MANIFESTO.

The Liberal Unionist Association of Ulster has issued a manifesto, in which it states that the Home Rule Bill confirms Ulster's stern resolve against being relegated in any circumstances to the control of an Irish Parliament.

The manifesto adds that the Irish Parliament will have unrestricted powers under the bill.

SEPARATE POSTAGE STAMPS.

The Postmaster-General, Mr. H. L. Samuel, has announced that Ireland will probably have separate postage stamps like the colonies.

NATIONAL CONVENTION.

LORD MAYOR OF CORK RESIGNS.

Mr. Simcox, Lord Mayor of Cork, has resigned, owing to the criticisms that have been levelled at him for accepting the invitation to attend the forthcoming National Convention, contrary to the All-for-Ireland-League's resolution.

The corporation of Belfast received Mr. Devlin's invitation to send delegates to the National Convention, but the Lord Mayor declined to receive a motion on the subject.

SOLYPTOL ANTISEPTIC SOAP and cold water is more cleansing than ordinary soap and hot water. It improves the complexion.—Advt.

DREADFUL ATTACK.

DEMENTED MAN'S ACTION.

WIFE BEATEN WITH AN AXE.

WINDSOR, Tuesday.

A fearful domestic tragedy took place this afternoon, at the Peninsula, near Windsor.

William Jones, a coach-painter, residing at Pitt-street, Peninsula, was arrested this afternoon charged with assaulting his wife, who is now lying in the hospital, no hope being entertained of her recovery.

Jones had been drinking for some years, and recently a prohibition order was taken out against him. To-day he went home at 1 o'clock for lunch, washed, and was sitting down waiting for dinner. He appeared to be in a very bad temper. Suddenly he got up, went out into the yard, rushed back with an axe, and went to hit his wife. The latter, after scuffling with him got away. Jones followed, and caught her in the yard as she was running to the next-door neighbours, and hit her on the head. Mrs. Jones fell, and he then hit her another blow with the sharp edge of the axe, cutting open the skull.

His daughter Minnie, aged 18, succeeded in getting the axe away from him, crying, "Oh, father, what did you do it for?" He replied, "I could not help it." He did not appear to be responsible for his actions.

Jones was arrested and the unconscious victim of his frenzied attack was conveyed to the hospital by the ambulance. Dr. Callaghan examined the wounds and stated that there seemed no possible hope of her recovery.

There are six children, ranging in age from three years to eighteen.

MR. B. R. WISE.

SUBMITS NAME TO LABOUR LEAGUE.

TO ASK FOR SELECTION.

It is reported that Mr. B. R. Wise will submit his name to the Wentworth Political Labour League for selection to contest the seat at the next Federal elections in the Labour interest.

Mr. Wise has of late years been more or less closely associated with the fortunes of the Labour party, both State and Federal. At the large gathering in Sydney, at which the success over the Liberal forces of the party led by Mr. M'Gowen was celebrated, Mr. Wise was one of the principal speakers to felicitate the gathering on the overthrow of Mr. Wade's Government.

Perhaps Mr. Wise's greatest claim to Labour support is the fact that he was the author of the original Arbitration Act. This was an experimental piece of legislation, and after it had been in operation some time the unions themselves sought its amendment, an Act framed by the Liberal Administration being the result.

Apparently, however, Mr. Wise's claims are not to be appraised so highly as to save him from running the gauntlet of the local leagues, and it is reported that the following will also submit themselves for selection:—

Messrs. H. Lamond, W. L. Duncan, J. Slater, S. Green, and Rev. F. B. Cowling.

One of the rules of the P.L.L. is that no mere newly-fledged member of the organisation shall have the right to become a candidate, and it is known that Mr. Wise has served the necessary apprenticeship by virtue of membership of the organisation extending over and above the prescribed term. The Bar, of which Mr. Wise is a member, is often spoken of as the closest trades union in the world, but membership of the legal body is not recognised under the P.L.L. constitution, service in the rank and file of a branch league being the only thing that confers the right of becoming a Labour candidate.

Should Mr. Wise be chosen by the Labour leaguers of Wentworth, he will find himself opposed by Mr. W. Kelly, M.P., who has hitherto scored handsome majorities in the electorate.

MORE INSPECTORS.

INDUSTRIAL ACT.

PROMINENT TRADES UNIONISTS

Four additional appointments of inspectors in the Industrial Department have been made. The duties of inspectors are to inquire into the working of awards under the Industrial Disputes Act and the new Industrial Arbitration Act, and, if necessary, conduct prosecutions.

The appointments bring the number of industrial inspectors to ten. For some time there has been a restlessness among labour unions, and a reported congestion of work in the department, which, it is expected, the new appointments will relieve.

The four new inspectors are:—Mr. W. D. Clark, late assistant secretary of the Amalgamated Railway and Tramway Association, and also of the Boot Trade Federation, and a prominent member of the Clerks' Union; Mr. J. Nolan, vigilant officer of the Trolley and Draymen's Union; Mr. H. Henstock, general secretary of the Australasian Society of Engineers; and Mr. Gregory, of Newcastle, who is acquainted with the mining districts. The appointments have not yet been officially made, but are known in trades union circles.

Mr. G. R. Young, the secretary of the Shop Assistants' Union for nine and a half years, has been appointed an inspector under the Early Closing Act.

"IMPERTINENT."

MINISTER REBUKES COUNCIL.

ANGRY ALDERMEN.

At a recent meeting of the North Sydney Council attention was called to certain evidence given by the Under-Secretary for Public Works before the Public Works Committee with respect to the proposed permanent connection between the two shores of the harbour, by tunnel or bridge. The Under-Secretary was reported to have expressed the opinion that the present ferry services rendered any other form of connection unnecessary. A resolution was carried taking exception to the views expressed by Mr. Hanna, and that resolution was conveyed to the Minister.

At last night's meeting of the council a reply was received from the acting secretary to the Minister, which read as follows:—

I am directed by the Minister to acknowledge receipt of your letter of 11th inst, conveying a resolution of your council, condemning the under-secretary of this department for having expressed certain views with regard to the question of connection between Sydney and North Sydney, which did not happen to agree with those held by the council.

The Minister instructs me to say that every witness before an inquiry is expected to express his honest opinion, and for any other persons to condemn him for having done so is simply an impertinence. Although the Minister himself entirely disagrees with the views expressed by Mr. Hanna, he recognises that that gentleman did nothing but his duty in giving the committee the benefit of the opinions which he held.

Alderman Green was of opinion that the letter should be thrown into the waste-paper basket.

The Mayor (Alderman C. A. Walker) said that he did not think that such an impertinent letter had ever been addressed to the council from a ratepayer, let alone a Minister of the Crown.

Alderman Clark thought the letter should be burnt. The honour of the council was at stake. Fancy a Minister of the Crown saying that because they expressed an opinion they were impertinent. How dare the Minister dictate to the council and say it is impertinent?

Eventually the letter was received.

THE LONELY SOUTH.

STORIES OF ANIMAL LIFE.

A PENGUIN PARLIAMENT.

VORACIOUS KILLERS.

Of all the stories of the Antarctic that have been told by the members of the Scott and Amundsen expeditions, few hold one's interest to the same extent as that narrated for the first time yesterday by Mr. H. G. Ponting, who arrived in Sydney from New Zealand by the Maunganui.

Mr. Ponting, who is an accomplished photographer, though that is not his profession, went down mainly to get pictures of the domestic and everyday life of the birds and animals, many features of which bear a remarkable similarity to human life, and has come back with a unique living record of it in the shape of a series of cinematograph films, aggregating 25,000 feet.

PUGNACIOUS PENGUINS.

First of all, he talked about the penguins. "The Adelie penguins are, without exception, the funniest creatures you ever saw," he said. "They are most pugnacious birds, and when they cannot get a common foe to fight they are never at a loss to get up a scrimmage among themselves. If a man goes near a penguinry—they usually speak of a penguin breeding-ground as a rookery, but I prefer to call it penguinry—the males come waddling out in a body to meet him with a great show of courage, and if he hasn't a stick to drive them off they belabour him about the legs with their wings and their beaks, till he is black and blue. They retire precipitately, however, if you have a stick and take up a position at a safe distance, whence with an injured expression of "like your impudence," they eye the intruder very closely, and keep up a running fire of comment all the time.

A PENGUIN PARLIAMENT.

Mr. Ponting saw enough to convince him that the penguins had a method of government—a form of administration—peculiarly their own. They got together regularly in solemn confab, and some grouped themselves on rocks, constituting a sort of Upper House. Most of the penguins he saw were the Adelie species. The Emperor penguins were slow and dignified in their movements; the Adelie was very active and could get over the ice as fast as a man, not by running so much as by slithering along. When a penguin took to the water he parcelled himself up in a neat sharp diving attitude, and made as pretty a sweep or gyration through the surf as could be imagined. In getting out of the water he made toward a sloping face of rock, and bounded upwards like a cat, from the top of the wave, landing always on his feet. At Cape Royds they found only a small colony of them, but at Cape Adair, where Lieutenant Campbell's party landed, there were millions, and were so thick in places that one could hardly avoid treading on them. They turned up at the end of October for the breeding season, which lasted till about February. Then they went into the moult, which, coming after the breeding, left them thin and emaciated. When they got their new plumage, and the seas were beginning to freeze up, they went to a new residence, but just where that was remained, as far as he was aware, one of the mysteries of the great lone land. They were navigators of no mean degree, and found their way back in the summer time to their old colonies. It had been said that if one took a penguin to the utmost ends of the earth and then liberated him, he would make good his way back to his old quarters, but Mr. Ponting said he couldn't vouch for the accuracy of this, though it was a common belief.

QUAINT COURTSHIP.

The penguins have a very quaint way of courting. In the season, when their fancy lightly turns to thoughts of love, the males strut about in all the finery of their best plumage. When one comes across a female that takes his eye, he goes up to her and strokes her gently down the back with his beak. Often the maiden is shy, and turns her head away, and pretends to take no notice. Then the male walks solemnly off, brings a stone in his beak, and lays it at her feet. Stones are the legal tender in Penguin Land. The penguins make their nests of stones, and the action of the male is a sort of gentle hint that "Barkis is willin,'" that she should share his nest. If she makes no acknowledgement of the first stone, he brings another, and still another, and another, till there is a regular mound at the female's feet, and she breaks down, and is captivated under the weight of all these attentions, and off they go on their honeymoon, looking very happy, amid a cracking chorus from the interested feathered spectators of the little love affair.

VORACIOUS KILLER WHALES.

The voraciousness of the killer whales is well known. They are called the tigers of the sea. He saw one fight—a very unequal battle—between a seal and these demons of the deep, which he describes as the most stirring incident as showing the strong maternal love in animals for their offspring that he has ever seen or heard of in his life.

This is Mr. Ponting's story:—"The killer is an animal which attacks with most cruel and extraordinary pertinacity. A shark is a pet in comparison. They hunt the seals as they lay sleeping on the edge of the ice. If they can't reach them from the water they make a concerted attack from underneath. Half a dozen of them will get under the ice, and endeavour to heave it up and smash it, and tumble the seal into the water. If they succeed in doing this, the seal is ravenously torn to pieces. But it is a very sleepy seal that gets caught like this. Sometimes, however, the shock to his nervous system is so great that he seems to get paralysed with fear, and before he can scuttle away, is grabbed by the killers.

AN UNEQUAL STRUGGLE.

"Once I saw eight killer whales chasing a seal," Mr. Ponting said, "and saw the latter jump out of the sea on to the ice, and, instead of bolting away for dear life, as the seal usually does, it turned and faced its enemies. We were at a loss to understand why it should remain on the brink of the ice at the jaws of death, till presently we noticed that there was a young seal in the water, and in the hour of danger the mother would not desert it. Just as the killers got within a few yards of the calf, the old seal leapt into the water over their heads to draw them away. They whirled round to follow her, but she managed to elude them, and to get in front of them once more, and make another effort to get the young seal to a place of safety. This went on time and again till the killers finally reached her, their jaws snapping and tearing at her sides till the sea was red with blood. The dogged way that she fought, this exhibition of hopeless courage, won our admiration and sympathy, and was a fine exemplification of the strong love in animals for their young."

A NARROW ESCAPE.

"On another occasion a school of killers was attracted by the dogs, which were near the edge of the ice. The beasts had their heads right above the water to see over the edge of the ice, and I got my camera and went as close as I could to them. The killers had made up their minds to get to the dogs at all hazards, and finding that they could not reach them where they were, they dived into the sea, swam to where they thought the dogs were, and commenced to bump the ice up from below. The surface heaved up and down and then broke, and I and my camera were cut adrift on a loose section. It was an awkward position, but I made a bolt for the firm ice and got there, and the dogs, which were also in danger, were then rescued. A large quantity of the ice was broken up, so much so that the ship had to be removed to the edge.

SEAL-LIFE.

"The seal-life is of tremendous interest. I got some most remarkable pictures of the seals boring holes in the ice with their

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teeth by means of a sawing motion. I also got a lot of pictures showing the mother seals gambolling with their young, just as cats play with kittens, and of them teaching the young idea how to swim. When a seal is about a fortnight old it is taken by the mother to the water's edge. She then jumps in and swims about to show how it is done, and endeavours to coax the little ones to follow suit. After a lot of persuasion the young seal takes a header, and comes up with a most startled expression on its face, and when it reaches terra firma again wants to run away home. But the lesson has to be learnt, and so the young seal is made to go into the water again, and it is not long before he becomes an expert swimmer, and shows a preference for the water. However, he is then taught to be a useful member of the community, and is set to work in gangs making holes in the ice, a splash in the briny being his reward when a sufficient number of holes have been made for the day."

The young seals bleated just like lambs, and in the breeding season one might imagine from their noise that he was on a sheep station. The majority of the seals they came across were the Weddell variety, which were passive or sluggish animals; but there was another variety called the crab-eater, which was much more active in its movements and inclined to show fight. The sea leopard was the most formidable of the animals. He had long front teeth, and one had to get out of his way when he charged. He was somewhat rare, but a number of specimens were secured.

Mr. Ponting will probably return to England by the Orama.

THE WORST BLIZZARD.

RETURN OF DR. SIMPSON.

Dr. G. S. Simpson, the physicist, who accompanied the expedition, also returned by the Maunganui yesterday.

The weather records he made very interesting. The worst blizzard experienced, though not the highest velocity of wind, was on July 8. It was fairly decent weather in the morning until 9 o'clock, when the temperature was minus 35 deg. or 67 deg. below freezing point. Then it started to blow, and by noon was blowing 43 miles an hour, not in gusts, but continuously. Between 3 p.m. and 4 p.m. it blew 52 miles an hour, and between 9 p.m. and 10 p.m. it blew 63 miles, with the temperature minus 31 deg. That gale continued to blow at over gale strength (38 miles an hour) for six days, and between 10 and 11 a.m. on July 12 it blew 66 miles in the hour. Records of gusts up to 80 miles an hour were secured.

Dr. Simpson is returning to India. The meteorological work in the Antarctic will be continued by the other physicist with the expedition, Mr. C. S. Wright.

GENERAL CABLE NEWS.

LONDON, April 15.

The "Herald," a new half-penny morning Labour paper, was published to-day. It attacks the "Daily News," "Westminster Gazette," and "Chronicle" for their indifferent and patronising support of the miners during the recent strike, and is especially bitter towards what it terms the "easy insolence" of the "Daily News" and the "Chronicle."

The English Rugby Union has definitely decided not to invite a New Zealand team to tour Great Britain this year, owing to the South African visit.

The balance-sheet of the Melbourne Trust, Ltd., shows a credit in the profit and loss account of £36,270. The sum of £4537 has been added to the reserve, a dividend of 4d per share has been declared, and £7076 has been carried forward.

April 16.

The man Henry, who recently fired a revolver in the House of Commons, and was yesterday found in his residence at Leominster with a bullet wound in the head, lying by the side of the body of his wife, whose throat had been cut, has been charged with murder.

LIMA (Michigan), April 16.

In consequence of a collision between two crowded inter-urban electric cars yesterday three persons were killed and a score were injured, many of them fatally.

QUEBEC, April 16.

The Legislature has been dissolved and the elections have been fixed for May 15.

CASUALTIES.

ELECTRICIAN INJURED.

John Lovell, 30, electrician, residing at 26 Pitt-street, Waterloo, while working on the live wires of the tramway in Botany-road, received a shock, which caused him to lose his hold and fall to the ground, a distance of about 20ft. The Civil Ambulance took him to the Royal Prince Alfred Hospital, where he was admitted, suffering from internal injuries and shock.

MOTORIST INJURED.

WEST MAITLAND, Tuesday.

H. H. Capper met with a painful accident while motoring near Kalodah on Sunday. He had one of his arms badly fractured at the wrist while attending to the machinery of the car.

A CHILD'S DEATH.

LIVERPOOL, Tuesday.

An accident occurred on Friday resulting in the death of the six-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thompson, who reside in premises at the Challenge Woollen Mills. Deceased and a younger member of the family were playing in the yard, when a crate containing household effects suddenly toppled over and fell upon them. The cries of the younger child, who escaped injury, attracted the attention of some of the household, and the crate was quickly removed, when it was found that the elder child was seriously injured, death ensuing shortly afterwards. At a magisterial inquiry, conducted by Mr. W. H. Mackenzie, J.P., on Saturday, a verdict of accidental death was recorded.

MINING FATALITY.

KALGOORLIE, Tuesday.

Whilst working in a stope at No. 5 level in the Hainault mine on Sunday, John Oakes, 25, was killed by a fall of earth.

After a charge had been fired portion of the back of the stope looked dangerous, but after trying unsuccessfully to work it down it was thought to be safe. The rock drill was set in motion, and almost immediately afterwards a fall occurred. Oakes, who was standing 20 yards from the drill, was killed instantly, while the two men working the drill were uninjured.

MUNICIPAL CRISIS.

NARRABRI WEST ALDERMEN RESIGN.

NARRABRI, Tuesday.

Last night at the municipal council meeting at Narrabri West the whole of the aldermen and the town clerk handed in their resignations. The action originated out of the debate on the municipal valuations and the new rate struck, which occasioned much bitterness between the aldermen. The quarrelling has been of long standing. Last week a meeting of ratepayers was held to have the area changed into a shire. It is understood that the bulk of the councillors will not seek re-election.

SMALLPOX ON THE MALWA.

PASSENGERS QUARANTINED.

MELBOURNE, Tuesday.

The Federal Director of Quarantine (Dr. Norris) said yesterday that there had been no fresh cases of smallpox on the R.M.S. Malwa. Seventy-two passengers, in addition to about 50 stevedores, would go into quarantine at Portsea. Of the passengers 34 were first-class and 38 second-class. He hoped that about one-third would prove eligible for release under surveillance on Thursday. They would be those who had been effectively vaccinated under the Quarantine Act. That was to say, they had been revaccinated not less than 14 days, nor longer than seven days, prior to the application for release. The Malwa will go to Portsea at daylight this morning, and will then proceed to Sydney.

INSURANCE AMALGAMATION.

LAUNCESTON, Tuesday.

Negotiations have been opened for the amalgamation of the Mutual Fire Insurance Company of Tasmania and the Royal Insurance Company.

LIBERAL CAMPAIGN.

THE OPENING.

VIGOROUS ADDRESS BY SENATOR MILLEN.

LABOUR TIDE EBBING.

The Liberal campaign for the Senate was opened before a large audience in the Paddington Town Hall last night, the Mayor (Alderman Pointing) taking the chair.

The principal speaker was Senator Millen, who delivered a vigorous address. At the outset there was not much interruption, but as the speaker got into his stride and hit out at the Fisher Administration, a socialist block in the back of the hall made its presence felt. It was not large in numbers, however, and Senator Millen effectively replied to all interjections in a good-humoured way. The meeting, on the whole, was orderly throughout, and at least three-fourths Liberal, judging by appearances. The outstanding point made by Senator Millen was that in April last the tide of Labour politics was at its height, and had been on the ebb ever since.

"I want to ask you to examine the difference between the promises given to you when your votes were solicited and the performances in respect of those promises."

In those words Senator Millen opened the Liberal campaign.

"You must go far beyond April 13, 1910," he added. "I want you to go back almost to the first days when the Labour party was born. From the very beginning it had two things to tell you. First it declared that the greatest incompetence and inefficiency marked the actions of the old Liberal party."

A solitary voice: Hear, hear.

Senator Millen: It declared that the Liberal party had done nothing, and later, when compelled to admit that the Liberal party had done something, said that when it did do anything it invariably did the wrong thing. They ceased abusing the Liberal party at odd times for the one purpose of reminding you of their own many excellent virtues and to fill you up with vague promises. (Laughter.)

LABOUR'S ENDOWMENT.

"I want you to go a little farther, and recollect the magnificent grant of power which the people gave to the Labour Party. Never in the history of Federation has any party been returned with such magnificent power as is enjoyed by the Fisher Government. In both Houses for the first time there has been a Government with an absolute working majority. Having put them in that unassailable position, you have a right to ask them to demonstrate to you that they have used their power to your advantage. There were two circumstances most fortunate for them. They not only took office with this magnificent margin of power, but took it at a time when Providence endowed us with a wave of prosperity. Prosperous times make easy Government. But, in addition, there was one other set of circumstances which has greatly aided Labour administration. Every previous Federal Government was financially hampered by the existence of that clause known as the Braddon Blot. That clause disappeared at the time when the Fisher Government was called into existence, the result being that the present Government enjoyed a large measure of freedom, a much larger revenue, and had the ability to do a hundred and one things absolutely denied to their predecessors. When you are told of the many things this Government has done, I want to remind you that it is easy to do things if you have the money to do them with. When the Fisher Government takes credit for doing this, that, and the other it is reasonable to ask whether their predecessors were in a position financially to do the same.

DESTROYING THE POSTAL VOTE.

One of the first things the Labour Government did was to disfranchise 30,000 electors by the destruction of the postal vote. (Applause.) That expedient was originally designed to assist persons to vote who resided in scattered districts—the pioneers of the country. The second provision was for women in ill-health. This democratic Government disfranchised such cases, though every criminal out of gaol might exercise the vote. Besides that there were the aged and infirm people, who were able by the postal vote system to exercise the franchise. Mr. Fisher asked on one occasion only, were such people disfranchised. He (the speaker) asked that question now. There was a reason for this line of action on the part of the Labour party. It was said as an excuse that there had been fraud at the ballot-box. But if there were frauds—and people knew it—why were there not prosecutions? (Applause.) He quite recognised that the Labour party was not always indignant with fraud. It was only when it referred to opponents that they became indignant. Not long ago they had some scandalous roll-stuffing cases in South Australia, but when the inquiry was held, did the Labour party join in the cry that the evil-doers should be punished? Some of them said it was difficult to get on the rolls honestly, and that they were thus entitled to do so dishonestly. (Dissent.) They had in this State the case of the Attorney-General refunding and remitting in Electoral Act breaches which had been branded. (Applause.) There was a Royal Commission appointed to inquire into the working of the Electoral Act, but the commission did not recommend the abolition of the postal vote. The real reason of the hostility to the postal vote was that a large number entitled to use the postal vote opposed the Labour party. If it had been the other way about there would have been no such lack of action. (Applause.) Was there any justice in saying to a man that he had the right to vote in any part of the State, and at the same time take away the postal vote? It was undemocratic—it was unfair. (Applause.) There was a provision in the measure enabling seafaring men to vote before the day of nomination, as long as the writ had been issued. The law actually provides that even if the voter did not spell the name correctly, so long as he said he wanted to vote, he could record his vote. (Dissent.) If there was a law which should be placed beyond the monkeying of any party it was the law relating to elections. (Applause.) The postal vote clause was put in the Act so that it was not possible on the eve of an election for any Government to disturb it. He felt that it ought to be the aim of any party to enable every elector to make his influence felt in the ballot-box. But if there was any attempt to change the law to suit a party they were introducing a system which savoured of the Tammany Hall. How would the Labour party take it if a Liberal Government so twisted a law to suit themselves? It should be seen when the time came that the election machinery was free from any tampering. (Applause.)

EMBARGO ON THE PRESS.

There was a feature of the Electoral Bill introduced by the Fisher Government which had attracted considerable notice. This was the attempt to lay an embargo upon the press of the day, in order that the Labour party would be benefited. According to that measure there was a penalty of £500 in the case of any public journal printing matter in certain type.

"Quite right," shouted an elector, "they are money-bags."

Senator Millen argued that it was a matter which did not concern the public what sized type was used. The unfairness of the fine was that in the existing electoral machinery of the States there were fines not exceeding £30 for offences which were a thousand times more serious. ("They deserve it; they are money-bags, making huge profits.") Those public journals stood on their merits, and conducted their businesses on business lines. But what of the small country papers, in this matter, which were very frequently struggling businesses, doing good work? It was proposed that they should be made amenable to the same heavy penalty. On the other hand, the "Worker" did not stand on its merits. The Shearers' Unions were forced to support it to the tune of £12,000 a year—taken compulsorily from the funds of the union to subsidise this paper. "You talk about a lurid press," he said; "why the men employed on the 'Worker' are bound to write as they are told, no matter what are their personal opinions." It was curious and worth noting, he said, that the State party had introduced a bill to make the press more and more subordinate to the Government. This was in accordance with the principle which the Fisher Government had introduced into their measure—and these men called themselves democrats!

BANKING LEGISLATION.

In regard to the Government's banking legislation, one of the words that the Labour party used to charm audiences with was a national bank, which was to be the key of a financial paradise. They said the private institutions were earning enormous profits. It was to be essentially a people's bank. But this bank, which was to satisfy all, was really constructed to transact the same class of business as the other banks. Mr. Fisher said it was to be a bank of banks, and not a money-lending institution. But if you were to establish a bank similar to the existing ones, what became of the original promise? That was what happened. (Applause.)

THE FEDERAL BANK.

Senator Millen declared that the Federal Bank proposals were an attack on State rights. "If," he said, "there are any means by which you can gauge the wishes of the people, and determine whether the interests of the States as separate entities are affected, they are surely by asking your properly constituted State Governments. The whole six States—some Liberal, some Labour—joined in opposing the transfer of the Post Office banks from the States to the Commonwealth on the ground that it would be disastrous to State finance. And, notwithstanding this, there was not a single Labour senator—whose duty was to consider his State first and his party afterwards—who did not say, 'My party first, last, and always.'" (Cheers and ironical cheers.) There is a big question hanging on this. If the Senate is not to perform the functions for which it was created the question of reconstructing it or abolishing it will sooner or later force itself upon the public. As matters are constituted to-day, the Labour senators are not the representatives of the States, but the representatives of the Labour members in the House of Representatives. (Cheers and counter cheers.) The Labour members of the Senate and of the House of Representatives meet in one caucus. If on this Savings Bank Bill the whole 22 Labour senators had said "Our duty requires us to vote against this bill" it would not matter, because in the caucus the Labour members of the House of Representatives being 40 would have outvoted them.

THE STATE BANKS.

"The Federal Government cannot handle the Post Office banks as well as the State because they are the great medium by which the State Government collects the money which it afterwards lends to the farmers and settlers. At present a large number of your settlers seek advances from the Post Office banks on the security of land leased from the Crown. The State, being the landlord, can advance money in safety, because if the tenants default the State can take possession of the land again. If the Federal Government controlled the Post Office banks it would be making advances on land owned by the State. The Commonwealth would say, 'What is going to happen if the tenants violate some condition of tenancy with the State Government? What will happen if the State forfeits the holding?' It is because the State Government is the Government which controls the land and makes the land laws, and controls land officials all over the country, to make valuations, and see that the money when advanced is properly spent, that it is the proper body to control the Post Office Savings Banks." He added that when Mr. Fisher was discussing the question of the consolidation of the State debts he said that he would never be a party to the Commonwealth going to the British market to borrow so long as the States went there, because it would be a seventh borrower. He wanted the Commonwealth to go to London, leaving local borrowing to the States. If Mr. Fisher's proposals were sanctioned, there would be taken away from the States the chief means of borrowing the savings of the people to carry on the country's work.

LAND STILL DEAR.

The cry in the country was going up, despite the land tax, that there was still no cheap land to be obtained. (Dissent.) He would be glad to know where the cheap land was. It was expected that the large owners were going to cut up their properties and give it away. The Labour party never tired of denouncing any policy of immigration, but what do they say now? It seemed they preached one thing to get votes, which really meant they got public support under false pretences, and practised something else. He did not object to the policy, but he objected to the impudent fraud which they had perpetrated on the electors. (Applause.)

POST-OFFICE REFORM.

Another promise was post-office reform. They would all remember what the Labour party said they would do in this matter. They eloquently pleaded for the carrying out of the recommendations of the Postal Commission. But there had, as a matter of fact, never been any serious attempt made to straighten out the muddle. ("The members of the post-office were never better off.") He had no hesitation in saying that that was not true. The public, too, were dissatisfied beyond measure. The Commission's report was thrown on one side, and the discontented men were pushed towards the Arbitration Court. But with this peculiar condition—that the Federal Government had a provision that it was optional for the Government to obey the award. ("Oh, oh.") There was in the Postal Department a work of some magnitude and importance, and this could only be accomplished by a thorough reorganisation. (Hear, hear.)

PROBLEM OF THE NORTH.

The Northern Territory was one of the greatest problems they had to solve. Of late years there had sprung into existence throughout the world the doctrine of effective occupation. "If we leave that part empty some other Power would claim the right to occupy it."

"What had the Liberal Government done in ten years?" He said, in reply, that they never gave the Liberal Government power to do anything. (Cheers.) This Northern Territory question was pressing and urgent. It called for the most earnest attention. The Federal Government had done practically nothing for 18 months. ("Rot.") They had appointed a Director of Agriculture, but Mr. Clarke was simply an office man. He had no more practical knowledge of agriculture than a boy who had been six weeks on a dairy farm. They should have sent out a man up there with either a scientific or a practical training in agriculture. To send such a man to the north was playing fast and loose with the affairs of the country. (Applause.) When such problems of national import were overlooked, it showed lack of statesmanship. ("I suppose you would put a few blacks up there.") He replied that the Federal Government was considering the proposal to introduce Javanese to New Guinea. (Cheers and dissent.) Another appointment by the Government was in regard to the creation of a Royal Commission in England to inquire into the resources and development of Empire trade. Mr. Campbell had been appointed as a defeated Labour candidate of South Australia. (Much applause and dissent.) He did not say this man was necessarily unfitted, because he was a defeated candidate, but at such a conference a business man should be sent. It was since announced, as a matter of fact, that Mr. Campbell was to spend a certain amount of time travelling about to learn something of the country that he was going to represent on so imporant a commission. (Applause.)

AN UNFAIR BARGAIN.

Speaking about the transferred properties, he said the Federal Government proposed to pay 3 per cent. on the cost of them, and put the other half per cent. to a sinking fund.

"That is business," shouted an elector.

"So is the card trick," answered Senator Millen. The arrangement meant that the State will eventually pay for the whole cost of the public buildings over again by this proposal of the Federal Government. It was a manifest injustice. (Hear, hear.) He personally was glad that the referenda proposals were to be introduced again as it looked like another case of the Government first making mad those they wished to destroy. The Labour tide, at its height last election, had, he thought, commenced to turn, and at next election Labour's colours would be lowered, and their prestige shattered. (Cheers.)

Mr. Fuller, M.P., and Senator Gould, who followed, were well received.

Mr. C. W. Oakes, who seconded a vote of thanks to Senator Millen, was warmly welcomed. He lectured, amid applause, those who had interrupted Senator Millen, and demanded, amid further applause, a free platform, a free press, and free speech.

CADET PROSECUTIONS.

REMISSION OF FINES.

The recent prosecutions at the Glebe Police Court against cadets for non-attendance at compulsory drill, has received attention at the hands of the Federal Government. Some of the defendants were fined £5, with costs, and the Government referred the question of the validity of the prosecutions to the Attorney-General, Mr. Hughes. Mr. Hughes decided that the information in the cases disclosed no offence under the Act, and he, accordingly, recommended that the fines be remitted. It is understood that this is to be done.

This recommendation only applies to these and similar cases, and does not apply to those cases where fines were imposed on parents for refusing to allow boys to attend drills, notably the cases of H. Holland and Alfred Giles, who were each fined £100. It is understood, however, that both these cases have also been referred to Mr. Hughes, and that he is now considering them.

WRECK OF A KETCH.

MELBOURNE, Tuesday.

On Friday the Snowy River Shipping Company's auxiliary ketch Worigrabell, in attempting to effect an entrance at Marlo, struck on the bar, and gradually drifted along the bank, and now lies about 450 yards from the entrance. Most of the cargo has been removed, but as it was chiefly composed of flour and chaff it was considerably damaged by water.

TASMANIAN EIGHT.

HOBART, Tuesday.

The Tasmanian eight-car crew for the interstate race at Perth has been selected as follows:—Coverdale, Goyen, Hurburgh, and Pitt, who belong to the southern clubs; and Munro, Quinn, Watts, and Woodhouse, of the northern clubs. The men are all in good condition, and are expected to form a strong crew. They are together training on the Tamar.

WERRIWA.

THE LABOUR CANDIDATE.

FARMER SELECTED.

As a result of the ballot of the league members in the Werriwa electorate, Mr. J. Lynch has been selected as the accredited Labour candidate.

Mr. Lynch is a farmer at Thuddungra, who has for years been a prominent member of the central branch of the Australian Workers' Union, and has taken a keen interest in the affairs of the Young Branch of the Political Labour League.

Mr. J. Lynch is a very well-known figure in his own district. A man of middle age, he was born at Young. He is a member of the local land board, and also of the shire council, and has been engaged in road-making and various kinds of bush-work. Besides being a good speaker, he is said to be highly popular. His father was a well-known miner in the Lambing Flat days of about 50 years ago.

POLLING DAY, JUNE 1.

MELBOURNE, Tuesday.

There is to be no haste shown in carrying out the election for the Werriwa seat. Last session an Amended Electoral Act was passed by the Federal Parliament, and as this election is to be carried out under this measure, the Electoral Department wants as much time as it possibly can get to make the necessary arrangements, and instruct officers. Then, again, there are new rolls being compiled in the division, and it has been thought desirable to await the completion of these. In view of these facts, the Speaker of the House of Representatives has given as much latitude as possible in the matter. The dates fixed in connection with the election are as follows:—Issue of writ May 6, nominations close May 17, Polling day, Saturday, June 1; return of writ, June 25.

MR. CONROY'S CANDIDATURE.

COOTAMUNDRA, Monday.

Mr. A. H. Conroy, selected Liberal candidate, attended a meeting of his supporters here on Saturday night. A strong executive committee was appointed, and there is every prospect of good support. Every means will be taken to ensure Liberals attending the poll.

"DESERTERS."

A PLUCKY ESCAPE.

MELBOURNE, Tuesday.

Four boys made their escape from the Training Ship John Murray in a sensational manner early this morning. One of them dived into the water, and swam to a dredge about 300 yards distant. He secured a rowing boat tied to the stern of the dredge, and rowed back to the John Murray. The other three boys dropped into the boat, and the deserters proceeded to Port Melbourne.

The boys were arrested during the day, and taken back to the ship.

"SHARP PRACTICE."

BOARD OF HEALTH CRITICISED.

SINGLETON, Tuesday.

A communication has been received by the municipal council from the Department of Health, stating that while the council, in its discretion might pay the sanitary inspector a higher salary than £156 per annum, the proportion to be contributed by the Government must not exceed half that sum. A subsequent letter from the Department stated that the moiety of the salary of the sanitary inspector had been disallowed from February 1 till March 17, the period during which he was acting as town clerk.

Alderman Searl moved that a letter be forwarded to the Department of Public Health stating that, while the council's inspector acted as town clerk, he still carried out his sanitary work or supervised it, and that nothing was forgotten or missed. He concluded by observing that the action of the Board of Health in this matter was a bit of sharp practice.

The motion was carried. In committee the council agreed that the salary of the sanitary inspector should be increased by 10s a week.

CHARGE OF MURDER.

DR. ROBERTSON DISCHARGED.

BARELY A SCINTILLA OF EVIDENCE.

MELBOURNE, Tuesday.

James Alexander Robertson, medical practitioner, of Carlton, was tried at the Criminal Court to-day on a charge of having, on February 16 last, murdered a young woman named Annie Chamberlain, at Werribee. The Crown alleged that Chamberlain died as the result of an illegal operation.

At the close of the case for the Crown, Mr. Justice Hodges said that there was barely a scintilla of evidence that an illegal operation had been performed, but that he felt he should allow the jury to consider the matter. The jury returned a verdict of not guilty without leaving the box, and Dr. Robertson was discharged.

CHINESE BIRTHPLACE.

PROSECUTION FAILS.

MELBOURNE, Tuesday.

Charlie Loie Chum, a Chinese, was brought before the City Court to-day on a charge of being a prohibited immigrant. Loie Chum, who arrived at Melbourne by the steamer Eastern, was submitted to the test, and having failed to satisfy the authorities on that point was about to be returned to China, when his friends obtained a writ of Habeas Corpus, and effected his landing in Australia. Loie Chum's certificate of birth showing that he had been born in Australia was produced, and evidence was given that he had been taken home to China in order that he might receive Chinese education. The case was dismissed.

SPLINTER CAUSES DEATH.

On April 5 last, two boys were playing in a lane at Redfern, and were throwing a wooden hoop to each other. In the course of this play a splinter from the hoop penetrated the webbing of the hand of Frederick Henry Booth, aged 12, of William-street, Redfern. At that time Booth's mother bathed the wound. On Saturday last, however, the boy complained to his mother of a stiffness in the jaw, whereupon she removed him to the Sydney Hospital in a cab. There the little fellow died from tetanus.

NORTHERN TERRITORY.

EXPERIMENTAL FARM.

MELBOURNE, Tuesday.

Information has been received from the Director of Agriculture, Mr. W. Clarke, to the effect that he is now making good progress with the work of laying out the experimental farm at Rum Jungle.

THE PROTECTOR.

BROOKLYN, Tuesday.

H.M.A.S. Protector arrived this afternoon, and anchored off Dangar Island. She has on board a batch of 60 recruits for the annual training.

WEIGALL MEMORIAL.

The honorary treasurers of the Weigall Memorial Fund (Mr. J. Russell French, Bank of N.S.W., and Mr. E. W. Knox, Colonial Sugar Refining Company, Ltd.) acknowledge the receipt of the following subscriptions:—

	£	s	d
Amount already acknowledged	1,373	2	0
N. W. Kater	3	3	0
Senator Walker	3	3	0
Adrian Consett Stephen	2	2	0
Dr. Fred. C. Higgins (Penrith)	1	1	0
H. H. Dare	1	1	0
T. J. M'Carthy (Grenfell)	1	1	0
Egmont Walker	1	1	0
George Walker	1	1	0
J. E. M'Carthy (Grenfell)	1	1	0
F. M. M'Keown	1	1	0
Gordon Donkin	1	1	0
W. S. Laidley	1	1	0
D. S. Laidley	1	1	0
I. J. Brenan	1	1	0
Mrs. J. W. Grimshaw	1	1	0
Harrington B. Cowper	1	1	0
H. E. Lane	0	10	6
Total	£1395	14	6

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PREMIER'S TOUR.

EXPERIMENTAL FARM FOR COOMA.

COOMA, Tuesday.

Mr. M'Gowen arrived at Cooma last night, and was received by the Mayor (Alderman J. A. Sellar), who, as president of the Pastoral and Agricultural Association, to-day brought forward the question of an experiment farm for Cooma district, and the necessity for the renewal of the bridge over Cooma Creek, on the Bombala-road.

The Premier promised to do all he could in the matters brought forward. Several requirements in connection with the Cooma Superior Public School were brought under his notice, and Mr. M'Gowen promised to bring them under the notice of the Education Department.

The Premier, accompanied by Messrs. Miller, and Cusack, visited all the schools in town. A half-holiday was proclaimed, and the party left for Adaminaby.

PRISONERS' STRIKE.

IN LYTTELTON GAOL.

WELLINGTON, (N.Z.), Tuesday.

A strike occurred yesterday among the prisoners in Lyttelton gaol.

The trouble started early in the morning shortly after the prisoners were unlocked after breakfast. The warders prepared to get the gangs ready to go to work, but the prisoners refused to leave the gaol. Warnings by the gaolers were of no avail, and the prisoners simply lounged about the exercise-yard. The prisoners employed in the gaol workshops worked quietly during the morning, but after the midday meal refused to go back to work. About 98 prisoners were on strike, 83 of them being members of the outside gangs. The men refused to disclose their grievances to the visiting Justices, and intimated they would speak to nobody but the Inspector of Prisons.

Eventually a large force of permanent artillery and police was sent to the scene of the trouble. The prisoners sullenly lined up, received their evening rations, and were locked up for the night.

The trouble has been fomented by about twelve men, all long-sentence criminals of a dangerous type. It is understood that the system of strict searching of the men employed on the works outside the gaol for contraband articles, is strongly resented by the men. This feeling has been worked upon by the ringleaders to induce the main body to go out on strike as a protest.

LIVELY ELECTION MEETING.

CANDIDATE'S FACE SMACKED.

BRISBANE, Tuesday.

An amusing incident occurred at a meeting addressed by Mr. Kirwan, Labour candidate for Mirani, at Hatton, on Saturday night. He met with considerable opposition from supporters of Mr. R. C. Powell, who was deposed from his candidature after his selection by the socialist plebiscite.

Mr. Kirwan asked one of his questioners whether he had knocked off beating his wife yet. Great uproar ensued, and subsequently the wife of the man who had been asking questions walked on to the stage, and smacked the candidate in the face.

BILL SQUIRES MARRIED.

TAMWORTH, Tuesday.

The marriage of William Squires, the well-known boxer, of Ascot Farm, Timbumburi, to Miss Agnes Miller, daughter of Mr. Jas. Miller, of Korumburra, Victoria, was quietly celebrated on Tuesday evening at St. Andrew's manse, Tamworth, by the Rev. Jas. Cosh. After the ceremony the newly-married couple adjourned to the house of Mr. and Mrs. William Darby at West Tamworth, where a number of Mr. Squires' friends assembled to offer their congratulations to the bride and bridegroom, and to partake of the wedding supper, at which the toast of the newly-married couple was honoured. Later in the evening Mr. and Mrs. Squires left for their home at Ascot Farm.

STATE POLITICS.

Mr. Arthur Cocks, M.L.A., has intimated in a letter to the hon. secretary of the Liberal League, St. Leonards, that although the St. Leonards electorate has been altered to some degree, it is his intention to again offer his services to the Liberals of that electorate at the next election.

TAREE, Tuesday.

Mr. David Cowan has announced himself as a candidate for the Gloucester electorate as an independent.

IRISH ENVOYS.

GANMAIN, Tuesday.

The Irish envoy (Mr. Donovan) visited Ganmain yesterday, and was officially welcomed, afterwards visiting the Convent school and Berember Weir. At night he addressed a large and enthusiastic meeting, £90 being subscribed in the hall in aid of the Irish Home Rule movement.

A CURIOUS MOTORMAN.

MELBOURNE, Tuesday.

Thomas J. Jessop, a motorman, formerly in the employ of the Brisbane Tramway Company, told the Federal Arbitration Court in the tramway claims case to-day, that he was dismissed from the company's service this year because he refused to take off his badge. Before he joined the tramway service he was in the police force and was also a warder in an asylum. He became a tramway employee partly out of curiosity. He was interested in union matters, and stayed on in the service because he thought he could benefit his fellow-men.

A PACKED TRAIN.

HAY, Tuesday.

Passengers are complaining of the overcrowding of the mail train, which left Sydney at 10.5 p.m. on Monday, and carried an enormous crowd of South-western people, who were returning from their Easter holiday in the city. It started from Sydney 12 minutes late, and did not reach Hay until 5.40 to-night, half an hour behind time. There were numerous complaints, some of the compartments holding as many as a dozen adults.

FLAG-SIGNALLING FORECASTS.

Commencing from to-day, at 10 a.m., flag signals will be flown daily at the Customs-house, indicating the forecast for the metropolitan district. Persons desirous of obtaining the code of the signals may do so on application to the Commonwealth Weather Bureau.

STATE COALMINE.

ALL UNIONISTS OUT.

MELBOURNE, Tuesday.

By 346 votes to 218 the State coal miners to-day rejected the scheme for the future working of the mine, submitted by the general manager.

It is understood that immediate steps will be taken to call out all unionists working in the mine, also those engaged in loading slack from the reserves.

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SHIPPING.

ARRIVALS.—April 16.

Maunganui, s, 7527 tons, Captain L. C. Worrall, from Wellington and other New Zealand ports. Passengers:—Misses Beck, Bradshaw, Cohen (4), Smith (3), Haslett, Sievwright (3), Farrell, Cahill, Marks, Grant, Gregory, Frymore, Simon, Jackson, Williams, Nelson (2), M'Lean, Campbell, Frame, Harrison, M'Cracken, Mansford, Nurses Graham and Morrill, Misses Downs, Bett, Balsilli, Caselberg, O'Brien (4), Evans (2), Payne, White, Easterbrook, Vause, Higgins, Halt (2), Austin, Karkkainer, Malcolm, Peyden, Fitch, Montefiore, and R. White, Mesdames Brass, Ellett and child, Sinnock, Cohen, Ness, Morrison, Graham and child, Macadam and 3 children, Clark, Salmon, Thompson, Love, Mearns, Howard, Williams, Farebrother, Lahey, Alexander, Hall, Harrison, M'Rae, M'Cracken, Eccles and 2 children and maid, Crammond, Kirkland, Stirling, Beit, Morrill, Bett, Jones, M'Guire, Connelly, Buchanan, Weston and child and maid, Beauchamp, Godfrey and child, Nonrad and 3 children, Lewis and 2 children and maid, Welch, Kennedy and child, Payne, Downes, Walther, Saxby, M'Carthy, Rutter, Montgomery, Wong, Hieton, Maudsley, Brookie, Robertson, and Peyden, Messrs. Watterson, Herman, Brass, Lewis, Ellett, Park (2), Ness, Morrison, Salmon, Miller, Campbell, Master Howard, Messrs. Christie, Dunn, Lahey and son, Greenwood (2), Alexander, Rev. Ager, Mr. Hodson, Dr. Simpson, Messrs. Ponting, Kerr, M'Rae (3), Colville, Hall, Stevenson, Oldham, Newey, Foot, Wilson, Cooke, Beit, Revs. Burke, Griffiths, and Babby, Messrs. Gilbruth, Young, M'Fadden, Jast, Hanna, Robinson, Richardson (2), Pinkstone, Hungerford, Malcolm, Teisler, Wright, Connelly, Gillespie, Wahler, Leaton, Bett, Balsilli, Batchelor, Caselberg, Hill, Collins, Buchanan, Bellinglden, Welch, Riley, Munro, Slack, Murtagh, Payne, Wilson, Corbett, Cantor, Saxby, Brookie, Mirams, Maudsley, Barnett, Sturgaber, Davie, Parry, Fish, Duthie, Hilton, Robertson, Berry, Johnstone, Campbell, Stewart and Love, and 225 in the steerage. Union S.S. Company, Ltd., agents.

Poltalloch, 4-m bq, 2129 tons, Captain Armstrong, from British Columbia.

Ouraka, s, 2637 tons, Captain Tyree, from South Australia, via Port Kembla. G. S. Yuill and Co., Ltd., agents.

Greifswald, s, 5461 tons, Captain Ehlert, from Bremen, via ports. Lohmann and Co., agents.

H.M.A.S. Warrego, from a trial trip.

Amra, s, 535 tons, from Fiji. Burns, Philp, and Co., Ltd., agents.

COASTWISE.—Hunter, s, and Mindini, s, both from Newcastle; Bellinger, s, and Mokau, s, both from the North Coast; City of Grafton, s, from the Richmond River; Archer, s, from Newcastle.

DEPARTURES.—April 16.

Carmen, bqtne, for Hobart.
Inveresk, bq, for the United Kingdom.
Fido, bq, for the United Kingdom.
Arawatta, s, for Melbourne.
Burrumbeet, s, for Western Australian ports, via Melbourne and Adelaide.
Brunner, s, for the Gilbert Group.
Wyandra, s, for Cooktown.
H.M.A.S. Protector, for Brooklyn.
Muniara, s, for Newcastle.
Era, s, for Melbourne, via Newcastle.
Aldebaran, bq, for Hobart, via Newcastle.

April 17.

Ouraka, s, for Cairns and northern ports, via Newcastle.
Westralia, s, for Newcastle.
Kakapo, s, for Newcastle.
Maunganui, s, for Newcastle.
South Africa, s, for South Africa.

PROJECTED DEPARTURES.—April 17.

Gneisenau, G.M.S., for Bremen, via ports; Van Waerwyck, s, for Batavia, via ports; Nikko Maru, J.M.S., for Japan, via ports; Maheno, s, for Auckland; Nerong, s, for the Bellinger River; Orara, s, for the Clarence River, via Newcastle; Namoi, s, for Newcastle; Wee Clyde, s, for Ulladulla; Caledonien, F.M.S., for Noumea; Gottingen, s, for Bremen, via ports; Period, s, for Melbourne and Newcastle; I.G.M.S. Condor, for a cruise.

CLEARANCES.—April 16.

Brunner, s, 586 tons, Capt. Urquhart, for the Gilbert Islands.

Monaro, s, 2056 tons, Capt. Roy, for Melbourne, via Newcastle.

Port Curtis, s, 4710 tons, Capt. Farmer, for Dunkirk and Antwerp, via ports.

Arawatta, s, 2113 tons, Capt. Johnson, for Melbourne.

Burrumbeet, s, 2420 tons, Capt. Thorpe, for W.A. ports, via Melbourne and Adelaide.

Wyandra, s, 4067 tons, Capt. McLellan, for Brisbane and northern ports.

Muniara, s, 837 tons, Capt. Robinson, for the Gilbert Islands, via Newcastle.

Period, s, 2748 tons, Capt. Sprott, for Melbourne, via Newcastle.

Era, s, 2378 tons, Capt. Egan, for Melbourne, via Newcastle.

Maunganui, s, 7454 tons, Capt. Worrall, for Wellington, via Newcastle.

Gottingen, s, 5441 tons, Capt. Nauss, for Bremen, via ports.

Ouraka, s, 2637 tons, Capt. Tyree, for Cairns and northern ports, via Newcastle.

Makura, s, 8075 tons, Capt. Gibb, for Vancouver, via Newcastle.

Kakapo, s, 1521 tons, Capt. Allen, for Devonport, via Newcastle.

Yarra, s, 2140 tons, Capt. Croft, for Adelaide.

South Africa, s, 1981 tons, Capt. Burkett, for Africa, via Port Kembla and W.A. ports.

ENTERED OUTWARDS.—April 16.

Providence A, s, for Suva, Levuka, and Rotumah, via Newcastle; Greifswald, s, for Bremen, via Brisbane; Maunganui, s, for Wellington; Taiyuan, s, for Hong-kong, via ports.

R.M.S. ORONTES, FROM LONDON.

FREMANTLE, Tuesday.

The following passengers arrived at Fremantle to-day per the R.M.S. Orontes, from London:—For Melbourne: Mr. Hayes, R.N., Mr. Fitzgerald, R.N., Mr. Gordon, R.N., Mrs. and Mr. Ince, R.N., and child, Miss and Mr. Anderson, Mr. Darvall, Miss Harcourt, Mrs. and Mr. Matson, R.N., the Misses Matson, Mr. and Mrs. Bell, R.N., and family, Mr. Oliver, Mr. Winter, R.N., Mr. Cottrell, Sergeant-major Hart, and Mrs. Hart, Sergeant-major Ordishor, Mr. Findlay, R.N., Mrs. Findlay, Mr. Harken, R.N., Mr. and Mrs. Thorne, Mr. Richards, R.N. From Toulon: Mr. A. C. Traill and Mr. Swanston. From Toronto: Mr. Critot. From Colombo: Miss Ridley and Miss Johnston, and Mr. H. Child. From London to Sydney: Mr. Higham, Captain Reynolds, Miss Reynolds, Lieutenant Deane, R.N., Mr. and Mrs. Chisholm, R.N., and child, Mr. Watson, Mrs. Dawson, Dr. and Mrs. Brummit, Mr. and Miss Heaton, Mr. Stevenson, Mrs. Stedwell and family, Mr. James, Mr. Hunting, Mr. Flynn, Mr. Powell, Mr. Collins, Mr. Coomber, Mr. and Mrs. Davies, Mrs. Gotham, Lieutenant Rundle, R.N., Mrs. Hampton. From Toulon: Mr. Ash, Miss Board, Mrs. Amaranthe, Miss Amaranthe, Mr. Roe, Mr. Henderson. From Naples: Mr. and Mrs. Kelly, Mr. and Mrs. Phillips. From Port Said: Mr. and Mrs. Chingos and Miss Docker. From Colombo: Mr. Hallenstein, Mr. Laws, Mr. Mrs. and Miss Reuss, Mr. and Mrs. Whyte and infant, Mr. Henderson, Mr. M'Killop, Mr. Wilson. From London to Brisbane: Mr. Yarwood, Mr. and Mrs. Sapp, Mr. and Mrs. Stable and infant, Mr. Patch, Mr. Falk, Miss Collings, Mr. Woodcock. From Toulon: Mr. Roe. From Colombo: Rev. — Flood and Mr. Green.

MOVEMENTS OF OVERSEA VESSELS.

Oberhausen, s (G.A. line), arrived at Hamburg on Saturday last from Australia.

Goslar, s (G.A. line), sailed from Hamburg on Sunday for Australian ports.

Linden, s (G.A. line), left Emden on Friday last for Melbourne.

Ballarat, s (P. and O. branch service), sailed from London on Saturday last for Australia.

Malwa, R.M.S., due to-morrow, will probably go into quarantine, consequent upon a case of smallpox having developed during the voyage.

Persic, s (White Star line), arrived at London on Friday last from Australia.

Moravian, s (Aberdeen line), left Capetown on Sunday, en route from London to Australia.

Miltiades, s (Aberdeen line), arrived at Plymouth on Sunday from Australia.

Orontes, R.M.S. (Orient line), from London, arrived at Fremantle at 9.55 a.m. yesterday.

Wiltshire, s (F.H.S. line), sailed from Capetown on 4th inst for Australian ports.

GNEISENAU FOR BREMEN.

The German mail steamer Gneisenau, for Bremen, via ports, will sail from the N.D.L. wharf, Circular Quay, at 11 a.m., to-day. Passengers:—

Miss Adamson, Mrs. L. Hage, Miss Barghoff, Mr. A. N. Barnett, Mr. J. Bishop, Miss Le Blank, Mr. Beck, Mrs. Beck, Mr. A. C. Burke, Mrs. Burke, Miss Burton, Dr. Waldermar Buttner, Mr. Alex. B. Buttner, Miss Carey, Miss S. Carey, Mrs. M. St. Clair, Mr. F. Coucher, Mrs. Coucher, M'lle. Jeane du Coudray, Mr. John L. Cunningham, Mr. J. W. Dalzell, Mr. Deckert, Mrs. Deckert, Miss J. H. Dick, Miss C. J. Dick, Mr. E. Doidge, Mrs. Ebenranter, Miss M. Ebenranter, Miss E. Elkin, Mr. Ellett, Mrs. Ellett and child, Mr. N. Emanuel, Mrs. Emanuel, Miss Emanuel, Miss C. Forrest, Mr. A. Foster, Mrs. Foster, Mr. C. Foster, Mr. F. J. Francillon, Mr. S. C. Fraser, Rev. French, Mr. F. Fredrichs, Miss Fredrichs, Mr. C. D. Frost, Mrs. E. Garven, Mr. F. M. Gellatly, Mrs. J. George, Mr. Grant, Mrs. Grant, Mrs. Mone Harrison, Miss Olga Harrison, Miss Hayford, Mr. Wm. Heindorff, Mrs. Heindorff, Miss Doris Heindorff, Master E. Heindorff, Mr. G. Herbst, Captain Hufnagel, Miss C. Hufnagel, Mr. F. Hunte, Mrs. Hunte, Mr. C. Jarrett, Mrs. C. Jarrett, Miss E. Jarrett, Mr. Jesper, Mr. F. J. Johnson, Mr. G. Kalman, Miss Kayser, Mrs. J. E. Kirkland, Mr. H. W. Koehn, Mr. Gordon V. Lavers, Mrs. S. Gordon Lavers, Miss Lewis, Mr. Makutz, Miss Makutz, Miss E. E. Mallarky, Col. S. Mallarky, Mr. S. M'Donough, Mr. T. M'Kinley, Miss Milne, Mr. T. Monohan, Mrs. Monohan, Mr. J. Moore, Mrs. Moore, Miss Eirene Mort, Dr. E. Neumann, Mrs. Neumann, Mr. F. Oppenheimer, Miss L. E. Palmer, Rev. W. S. Pearse, Mrs. Pearse, Miss Pearse, Gen. Commerzienrat Leopold Peill, Mrs. Peill and maid, Consul F. R. Perrot, Mr. A. Pfaff, Mr. Joel Phillips, Mrs. Phillips, Miss Phillips, Miss Annie L. Phillips, Mr. Max Pohl, Mrs. M. J. Poulter, Miss E. Poulter, Mr. L. Poulter, Mr. G. H. Randell, Mr. K. Retzlaff, Mr. O. Ridge, Mrs. Ridge, Rev. Peter Robertson, Miss Robertson, Mr. Julius Rosenfeld, Mrs. Rosenfeld, two children and nurse, Mr. Sherman Sanders, Mr. H. M. Sargood, Mrs. Sargood, child and nurse, Mr. S. Schantz, Mr. F. Schliemann, Mr. O. Schober, Mrs. M. Seal, Miss Seal, Miss Seal, Mr. J. C. Slack, Mrs. Slack, Mrs. Stirling, Miss H. Stunzner, Miss I. Stunzner, Miss Sturroch, Mrs. M. Tamm, Mr. L. B. Taylor, Mrs. E. E. Taylor, Miss M. Taylor, Mr. R. Timms, Mrs. Timms, Mr. Topham, Mr. J. B. Tothill, Mrs. Tothill, Mr. John B. Trivett, Mr. F. Ullmann, Mrs. Weston, Miss N. K. Weston, Mr. C. Wheeler, Capt. Wilk, Mr. J. Zeisler.

NIKKO MARU, FOR JAPAN.

Burns, Philp, and Company, Limited (managing agents for Nippon Yusen Kaisha in Australasia), advise that the steamer Nikko Maru sails at noon to-day from the company's wharf, east side, Circular Quay, for Yokohama, via Queensland ports, Manila, Hongkong, Nagasaki, and Kobe. Passengers:—Mr. H. Bowden, Master Lorne Campbell, Hon. Hans W. H. Irvine, Mrs. Irvine, Mr. J. H. Anderson, Miss Robertson, Mr. Bourdie, Mr. D. Riley and child, Mrs. A. Hawthorne, Miss Hawthorne, Miss Hawthorne, Mrs. E. Lazarus, Mr. Garland, Mrs. Garland, Mr. M. H. Sheard, Mrs. Sheard, Mrs. Abrahams, Miss Abrahams, Mr. P. S. Helder, Mr. George Forsyth, Mr. Corrigan, Mrs. Corrigan, Mrs. T. M. O'Brien, Miss O'Brien, Mr. Fred. K. Burnham, Mrs. Burnham, Mr. W. Herbert Friend, Mrs. Friend, Mr. Guy Sherwood, Mrs. Sherwood, Miss Mabel Maslin, Mrs. Stanley J. Stanford, Mrs. C. Williams and infant, Miss Grace Byron Moore, Mr. Tsutsumi, Mr. N. Ohtani, Dr. Beattie Smith, Mr. J. P. Wilson, Mr. Morgan, Miss Abrahams, Mrs. Florida, Mrs. A. Bayley, Miss L. C. Chirnside, Mr. Yeardley, Mr. K. Maxwell, Rev. J. Shiel, Rev. D. Bowley, Mr. Mills M'Kay, Mrs. Mills M'Kay, Dr. L. H. Plimpton, Mrs. Plimpton, Mr. S. N. Noble, Miss Cameron, Mr. J. Hyland, Mr. F. Hawthorne, Mr. Evans, Mrs. Evans, Lieut. Shirase, Mr. F. Kohmura, Mr. Foggett, Mr. M. Carr, Mr. Louey Gung, Mr. Hancock, Mr. Kemanady, Mr. Nakano, Mrs. M'Kee and 2 children, Mr. Cumines and infant, Mr. Lim You, Mrs. Wright, Miss Clara Wallwork, also five Japanese and about 9 Chinese passengers. Besides cargo from Queensland ports, the vessel is taking the following from Sydney:—381 tons flour, 1406 bales fodder, 1000 bags and 825 crates onions, 200 cases soap, 80 cases and 153 boxes butter, 150 casks and five tons oleine, 20 bags glue, 160 casks beef, 255 tons fertiliser, 197 tons tallow, 600 tons lead, 110 bales wool tops, 138 bales wool, 80 tons sundries, 101 bags oats, 18 packages leather, 200 cases meats, 11 sacks beche-de-mer, 25 tons copper, 10 tons wheat, 70 sacks trocas shells, 300 cases cordials, 10 tons timber, 9 casks bladders, 50 cases apples, 11 packages fleshing, and 20 tons general cargo. There are also 10 boxes gold, valued at £14,825, shipped by Chinese merchants.

DUTCH PACKET LINE.

The following is the list of passengers per the steamer Van Waerwyck (R.P.S.N. Co.'s line), sailing from Flood's Wharf, at 10 a.m. to-day.

Miss Ramsay, Mr. W. Whitten, Mr. S. A. Bishop, Miss Ellen Wood, Mrs. J. Jones and infant, Mrs. Dubois, Mrs. F. Moody, Miss Moody, Mrs. A. O. MacKenzie, Miss E. MacKenzie, Mrs. P. R. Osborne, Sir Rupert Clarke, Mr. Raoul Kahn, Mr. L. Pahl, Mrs. L. Pahl, Mr. Chas. Gant, Miss Weber, Mr. Kennedy, Mrs. Kennedy, Mr. R. Gooch, Mr. J. M. Storey, Mr. J. T. Gray, Mr. A. Tidswell, Mr. A. T. Rand, Mr. E. Weiderman, Mr. Libby, Mrs. Stuart, Mr. Bones, Mrs. Bones.

The Royal Packet S.N. Co. has received telegraphic advice from Sourabaya stating that the steamer Van Heemskerk left Sourabaya on 16th inst., at 6 a.m., for Australian ports.

BIG LUMBER CARGO.

The four-masted barque Poltalloch, which arrived last night from Victoria, British Columbia, and anchored in Chowder Bay, brought 1,940,000ft of lumber to the agency of Mr. C. H. Gibson. She had a good weather passage until nearing the Australian coast, when rough conditions obtained.

GERMAN CRUISER CONDOR.

The German cruiser Condor, which has been some months in Sydney Harbour, will go to sea to-day, a pilot being booked for 7 a.m.

B. I. LINE.

Messrs. Alex. Stephen and Sons, Ltd., Linthouse, launched on March 7 the twin-screw steamer Aronda for the Indian coastal service of the British India Steam Navigation Company, Ltd. She is one of the last class of steamers recently built for this company, and is 405ft in length, 50ft in breadth, and 33ft in depth, with three complete decks and bridge and boat decks. There is superior accommodation for 30 first-class and 50 second-class passengers, in addition to which special provision has been made for carrying native passengers in the two 'tween decks. The propelling machinery consists of two sets of quadruple-expansion engines, with two double-ended and four single-ended boilers, all constructed at Linthouse.

ORIENT COMPANY.

BRISBANE, Tuesday.

Mr. Devitt, London director of the Orient Company, Mr. David Anderson, general manager for Australia, and Sir Kenneth Anderson, are in Brisbane for the purpose, it is believed, of altering the place where the steamers of the line at present berth to somewhere nearer the city.

STEAMERS DUE TO-DAY.

Marathon, from Brisbane.
John Williams, from the South Sea Islands.
Anglo Bolivian, from New York, via ports.
Solveig, from Valparaiso.
Upolu, from Brisbane.
Atua, from Auckland, Tonga, Samoa, and Fiji.

TELEGRAPHIC SHIPPING.

BRISBANE (516m).—Arr: April 15, Barrabool, s, from Rockhampton, April 16, Bombala, s, from Townsville. Dep: April 15, John Williams, s, for Sydney, April 16, Innamincka, s, for Cairns; Marloo, s, for Melbourne; Gabo, s, and Barrabool, s, for Sydney; Peregrine, s, for Townsville; Marathon, s, for London; Musgrave, s, for Bundaberg; Mallina, s, for Rockhampton.

CAPE MORETON (448m).—Passed: April 15, Urilla, s, for Townsville.

SANDY CAPE.—Passed: April 16, Chillagoe, s, bound North.

WOODY ISLAND.—Passed: April 16, Queensland, s, bound south.

BUNDABERG (782m).—Arr: April 16, Tinana, s, from Brisbane.

ROCKHAMPTON (960m).—Dep: April 16, Dolphin, s, for Brisbane.

FLAT TOP (1050m).—Dep: April 16, Wodonga, s, for Melbourne.

BOWEN (1155m).—Arr: April 16, Wyreema, s, from Melbourne. Dep: April 16, Bingera, s, for Brisbane.

TOWNSVILLE (1258m).—Dep: April 16, Montoro, s, for Sydney.

CAIRNS (1418m).—Arr: April 16, Eastern, s, from Melbourne. Dep: April 16, Suva, s, for Cooktown.

POINT ARCHER.—Passed: April 16, Gracchus, s, bound north.

THURSDAY ISLAND (1799m).—Dep: April 16, Guthrie, s, for Hongkong; Warrego, s, for Burketown.

GOODE ISLAND (2005m).—Passed: April 16, Thuringen, s, bound west.

TWEED HEADS (374m).—Passed: April 16, John Williams, s, 5.15 p.m., south.

RICHMOND RIVER HEADS (331m).—Arr: April 16, Duranbah, s, 6 a.m. Passed: Marathon, s, 5.10 p.m., south.

SOUTH SOLITARY ISLAND (250m).—Passed: April 16, Howard Smith Co.'s steamer, 5 p.m., south.

BELLINGER (230m).—Arr: April 16, Alma Doepel, sch, 8 a.m.

SOUTH-WEST ROCKS (209m).—April 16, Tethys, dredge, working on bar.

SMOKY CAPE (205m).—Passed: April 16, Clan Matheson, s, 3.20 p.m., north; Nerong, s, 12.50 p.m., south.

TACKING POINT (160m).—Passed: April 16, Prinz Sigismund, s, 1.45 p.m.; Wandra, s, 2.45 p.m.; Our Elsie, s, 3.30 p.m.; Volunteer, tug, 3.30 p.m., south.

CROWDY HEADS (147m).—Passed: April 16, Chillagoe, s, 5.45 p.m., north; Allen Taylor's s, 5.45 p.m., south.

MANNING HEADS (144m).—Arr: April 16, Boambee, s, 7.10 a.m.; Malanbar, s, 7.35 a.m.; Alfred Fenning, ktch, 5.30 p.m.

CAPE HAWKE (133m).—Arr: April 16, Tuncurry, s, 7.50 a.m.

SEAL ROCKS (109m).—Passed: April 16, Our Jack, s, 4.55 p.m.; Ellerslie, s, 4.30 p.m., north; City of Grafton, s, 3.45 p.m., south.

PORT STEPHENS (83m).—Arr: April 16, Dauntless, s, 4.55 p.m. Passed: Mokau, s, 5.15 a.m.; Hawk, sch., 7 a.m.; Sarah Hunter, ketch, 9.15 a.m.; Poltalloch, bq, in tow, 9 a.m.; Astral, s, 1.40 p.m., south.

NEWCASTLE (62m).—Arr: April 16, Beagle, s, Pelaw Main, s, Allen, s, Archer, s, Namoi, s, Galava, s, Aorangi, s, Friendship, s, Teeswood, s, Sphene, s, Kallatina, s, Wallsend, s, and Queen Bee, s, all from Sydney; Williams, s, and Dumaresq, s, from Port Stephens; Roseric, s, from Dunedin. Dep: April 16, Mindini, s, Beagle, s, Lubra, s, Galava, s, Archer, s, Pelaw Main, s, Teeswood, s, and Dunmorefield, s, all for Sydney; Chillagoe, s, for Brisbane; Perth, s, for Port Kembla; Dauntless, s, for Port Stephens; Friendship, s, for the Tweed River; Amphion, s, for Port Adelaide; Galvabba, ktch, for the north; Komura, s, for Melbourne.

JERVIS BAY (87m).—Passed April 16: Wear, s, 2.5 p.m., south; like Monaro, s, 6.50 p.m., north.

NAROOMA (157m).—Dep April 16, Comboyne, s, 8 a.m.

BATEMAN'S BAY (134m).—Dep: April 16, Mary, s, 8.30 a.m.

MORUYA HEADS (141m).—Passed: April 16, Wee Clyde, s, at 10 a.m.; one of Allen Taylor's steamers, 11.15 a.m., north.

BERMAGUI SOUTH (189m).—Dep: April 16, Bermbula, s, 10 a.m.

GREEN CAPE (218m).—Passed: April 16, Mona, launch, 4.40 a.m., south.

GABO (238m).—Passed: April 16, Armand Behic, F.M.S., 6.10 a.m.; Norseman, s, 4.20 p.m., west.

WILSON'S PROMONTORY (426m).—Passed: April 16, Lauderdale, s, at 3.15 a.m., Mintaro, s, at 8.20 a.m., Leura, s, at 3 p.m., outward.

MELBOURNE (576m).—Arr: April 16, Werribee, s, and Moorabool, s, from Newcastle; Gothic, s, from London. Dep: Barwon, s, and Leura, s, for Newcastle; Wairuna, s, for Strahan; Manapouri, s, for Fiji; Oonah, s, for Burnie; Grantala, s, and Karoola, s, both for Sydney.

MACQUARIE HEADS (Tas.).—Arr: April 16, Kartane, s, 11.25 a.m.

WYNYARD (Tas.).—Arr: April 16, Daisy Knight, ketch, 9 a.m.

LOW HEAD (500m).—Dep: April 16, Loongana, s, 5 p.m.

HOBART (648m).—Arr: April 16, Rooganah, sh, 7.50 a.m.

ADELAIDE (1084m).—Arr: April 16, Wismar, s, from Hamburg. Dep: April 16, Aeneas, s, for Melbourne; Kapunda, s, for Melbourne.

ALBANY (2100m).—Dep: April 16, Afric, s, for eastern States, 6.30 a.m.

FREMANTLE (2466m).—Arr: April 16, Barrabool, s, from Europe, 8.10 a.m.; Orontes, R.M.S., from London, 9.55 a.m. Dep: Pilbarra, s, for the eastern States, 5.30 a.m.

BRITISH AND FOREIGN SHIPPING.

LONDON, Tuesday.

Arrivals.

Mamari, s, 6680 tons, from Timaru, Feb. 18, at London.

Miltiades, s, 6793 tons, from Sydney, Feb. 28, at London.

Scottish Monarch, s, 5042 tons, from Port Pirie for Antwerp, passed Flushing.

Telamon, s, 4509 tons, from Sydney, Feb. 20, for London, passed Prawle Point.

Ilala, sh, from Port Pirie, Jan. 21, at Callao.

Departures.

Deucalion, s, from Glasgow for Adelaide.

Seydlitz, s, 7904 tons, from Bremen for Sydney.

Fremantle, s, 5871 tons, from Hamburg for Sydney.

Miefield, bq, 1275 tons, from Buenos Ayres for Newcastle.

Salvatore Ciampa, sh, 1540 tons, for Newcastle.

NEW ZEALAND SHIPPING.

WELLINGTON (1239m).—Arr: April 16, Corinthic, s, from London.

FIJI SHIPPING.

SUVA, Tuesday.

Marama, R.M.S., sailed to-day for Vancouver, and the Hauroto arrived from Auckland.

THE MAILS.

THIS DAY.

South Australia.—Overland, 5.30 p.m.
Victoria.—Overland, 5.30 and 8 p.m.
Queensland.—Overland, 3.30 p.m.
Clarence River.—Orara, 7 a.m.
Auckland, etc., N.Z. (direct).—Maheno, 11 a.m.
Tonga and Samoa, via Auckland.—Maheno and Tofua, 11 a.m.
Fiji, via Auckland.—Maheno, 11 a.m.
Thursday Island, Manila (P.I.), Hongkong, and Japan, via Brisbane.—J.M.S. Nikko Maru, 2.30 p.m.
Port Moresby, Thursday Island, Dobo, Macassar, Sourabaya, Samarang, Batavia, and Dutch East Indies, via Brisbane.—Van Waerwyck, 3.30 p.m.
Bellinger River.—Nerong, 4 p.m.
United Kingdom, Continent of Europe, India, and Mauritius.—Overland to Adelaide, and thence per R.M.S. Osterley, 5.30 p.m.
R.M.S. Osterley (letters addressed to persons on board, care of the commander).—Overland to Adelaide, 5.30 p.m.
Western Australia, via Adelaide and Fremantle.—R.M.S. Osterley, 5.30 p.m.
Tasmania, via Melbourne.—Oonah, 8 p.m.
Durban and Capetown, via Melbourne.—Medic, 8 p.m.

THURSDAY.

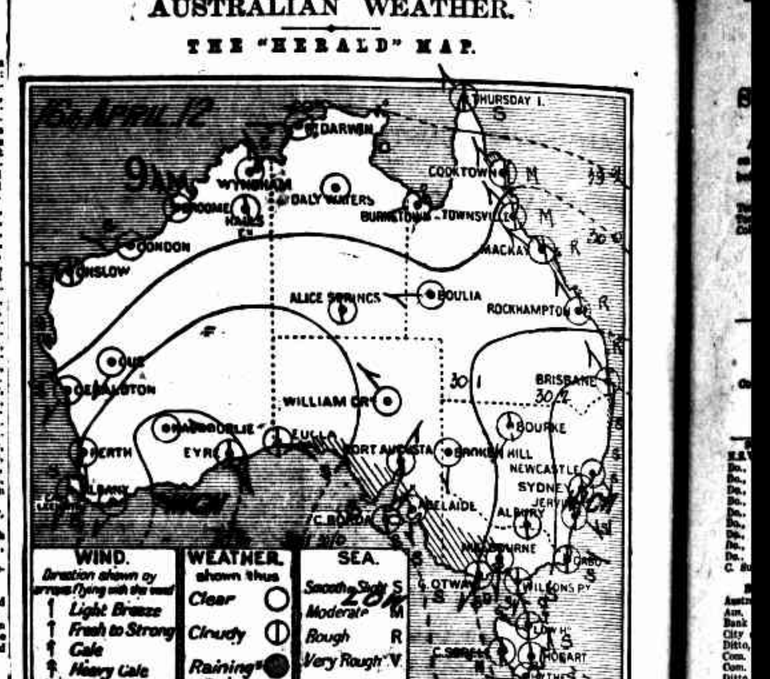
United Kingdom, for newspapers to be forwarded wholly by sea, and prepaid at the rate of 1d per 16oz or fraction thereof for each newspaper enclosed in separate wrapper.—P. and O. Royal Mail Packet Mongolia, 8 a.m.
Hobart (direct).—R.M.S. Mongolia, 8 a.m.
Tuncurry, etc.—Tuncurry, 10 a.m.
Laurieton.—Comboyne, 10 a.m.
Zamboanga, Thursday Island, Manila (P.I.), Hongkong, and Japan, via Brisbane.—Taiyuan, 2.30 p.m.
Western Australia, via Adelaide and Albany.—Kyarra, 5.30 p.m.
Tasmania, via Melbourne.—Loongana, 5.30 p.m.
United Kingdom, Continent of Europe, India, and Mauritius.—Overland to Adelaide, and thence per F.M.S. Armand Behic, 5.30 p.m.
F.M.S. Armand Behic (letters addressed to persons on board, care of the commander).—Overland to Adelaide, 5.30 p.m.
Western Australia, via Adelaide and Fremantle.—F.M.S. Armand Behic, 5.30 p.m.
Eden, etc.—Merimbula, 6 p.m.
Durban and Capetown, via Melbourne.—Norseman, 8 p.m.

PLASTERERS AND BUILDERS.

Owing, it is stated, to members of the Plasterers' Union demanding much higher wages than are provided for in the arbitration award, and their disinclination to work for less, the Master Builders' Association has had to consider the situation. It has decided to write to the Institute of Architects, advising them of the difficulty of obtaining sufficient plasterers, and suggesting the advisability of architects omitting plastering work as much as possible from contracts.

AUSTRALIAN WEATHER.

THE "HERALD" MAP.



The high pressure over the eastern States has expanded both east and southwards, and maintains about the same barometric values. The centre is now between Hobart, Norfolk Island, and Brisbane. The Antarctic depression to the south of Adelaide shows very little change, with the exception that it has surged slightly northwards. An extensive "col" exists over South Australia, the western districts of Victoria and New South Wales, and the south-western portions of Queensland. The high pressure over Western Australia has slumped very much, and will therefore interfere with the cool change which was mentioned on Monday. There are indications of another Antarctic disturbance to the SW of the Leeuwin.

Ocean Forecasts.—Becoming squally and rough off the Leeuwin and Western Straits; prospect of scattered rain over New South Wales and Victoria before Friday.

METEOROLOGICAL REPORTS.

Commonwealth Weather Bureau, Tuesday.

Sydney rainfall, average annual for 53 years, 4799 points.

Average rainfall for 54 years, from January 1 to end of March, 1315 points.

Total rainfall from January 1, 1912, to date, 1808 points.

Total for corresponding period of 1911, 2229 points.

Barometer, 9 a.m., 30.235; 3 p.m., 30.172; 9 p.m., 30.225.

Temperature.—9 a.m., 68.3; 3 p.m., 69; 9 p.m., 67.4. Maximum, 70.9; minimum, 58.9.

Humidity.—9 a.m., 89; 3 p.m., 75; 9 p.m., 84.

Wind.—Greatest velocity, 10 miles, from ENE.

RAINFALL REGISTRATIONS.

New South Wales (for the 24 hours ended at 9 a.m.).—Byron Bay 2 points, Tweed Heads 13.

CONDITIONS AT 9 A.M.

New South Wales.—Fine and clear at scattered places; otherwise cloudy to overcast and threatening, with showers at Byron Bay and Tweed Heads; few fogs.

RAINFALL DISTRIBUTION

(For the 24 hours ended at 9 a.m.).

New South Wales.—Light rain reported at two places on the far north coast.

TEMPERATURES AT 9 A.M.

Perth, 74 maximum, 57 minimum; Adelaide, 73 maximum, 54 minimum; Melbourne, 75 maximum, 53 minimum; Brisbane, 73 maximum, 61 minimum; Hobart, 63 maximum, 52 minimum.

BAROMETERS AT 9 A.M.

Carnarvon, 30.03; Geraldton, 29.96; Perth, 30.10; Esperance Bay, 30.19; Eucla, 30.17; Streaky Bay, 30.06; Adelaide, 30.03; Robe, 30.00; Portland, 30.03; Melbourne, 30.11; Wilson's Promontory, 30.13; Gabo Island, 30.22; Cape St. George, 30.23; Sydney, 30.24; Newcastle, 30.20; Port Macquarie, 30.25; Clarence Heads, 30.24; Brisbane, 30.19; Rockhampton, 30.09; Mackay, 30.07; Cooktown, 29.98.

COASTAL REPORTS.—6 P.M.

Tweed Heads, SSW, fresh, cloudy, sea moderate; Byron Bay, NE, light, cloudy, sea smooth; Ballina, E, light, cloudy, sea slight; Clarence Heads, E, light, cloudy, sea smooth; Woolgoolga, NE, fresh, fine, sea smooth; Bellinger Heads, E, light, cloudy, sea smooth; Port Macquarie, NE, light, cloudy, sea smooth; Manning Heads, NE, light, cloudy, sea smooth; Seal Rocks, NE, fresh, cloudy, sea slight; Port Stephens, N, fresh, cloudy, sea slight; Newcastle, S, light, cloudy, sea smooth; Lake Macquarie Heads, NE, fresh, fine, sea smooth; Catherine Hill Bay, NE, fresh, fine, sea smooth; Barranjoey, NE, mod., cloudy, sea slight; South Head, SE, mod., fine, sea slight; Wollongong, NE, fresh, cloudy, sea smooth; Kiama, N, light, fine, sea smooth; Crookhaven Heads, NE, fresh, cloudy, sea smooth; Jervis Bay, N, light, cloudy, sea slight; Bateman's Bay, calm, cloudy, sea smooth; Moruya, NE, light, cloudy, sea smooth; Eden, NE, light, cloudy, sea slight; Green Cape, NE, light, cloudy, sea slight; Gabo Island, NNE, mod., cloudy, sea slight.

FORECAST FOR N.S.W. AT 9 P.M.

Fine and warm generally, except for some scattered thunder showers; northerly winds, veering to southerly in the far west.

INTERSTATE RAINFALL REGISTRATIONS

(For the 24 hours ended at 9 a.m.).

South Australia.—Eucla 5 points, Fowler's Bay 1, Streaky Bay 4, Port Lincoln 11, Snowtown 17, Cape Borda 48, Adelaide 3, Cape Northumberland 5.

Queensland.—Cooktown 8 points, Cairns 25, Bowen 9, Mackay 15, Sandy Cape 3, Brisbane 1, Port Douglas 34, Bustard Head 4, Pialba 14, Innisfail 23, Ironbank 23, Cape Moreton 10, Bloomsbury 16, Coen 38, Woombye 21, Menenoo 2, Woodford 14, Nerang 10.

Victoria.—Horsham 7 points, Portland 13, Cape Otway 5.

ASTRONOMICAL MEMORANDA FOR APRIL 17.

Sun rises at 6.19, sets at 5.30; Moon, 5.55 a.m., 5.59 p.m.; Mercury, 6.14 a.m., 5.20 p.m.; Venus, 4.41 a.m., 4.40 p.m.; Mars, 11.58 a.m., 9.38 p.m.; Jupiter, 10 p.m., 10.23 a.m.; Saturn, 8.14 a.m., 6.52 p.m.

High water at Fort Denison, 8.12 a.m., 8.27 p.m.

Full moon, May 1, at 8.19 p.m.

MONETARY AND COMMERCIAL.

STOCKS AND SHARES.

A large amount of business was transacted on 'Change yesterday, variation in late rates being as follow:—

RISE.		FALL.	
Toohey's Brewery	/1½	New South Wales 3½ per cent. (1921)	10/
Tooth's Brewery	/9	Bank of New South Wales	5/
Colonial Sugar	5/	Aerated Bread Co.	/9
		Bowron Bros.	1/6
		Brennan's	/6
		Goldsbrough, Mort	/6
		Sanders, Sutton, and Whitehead	/6

Company.	Amount of Shares.	Shares paid up.	Last Div. per annum.	Prices. Last Sales.	Buyer.	Seller.	†Yield to Investors.
STOCKS.							
N.S.W. F.S.							
Do., due 1912	..	..	3	79	..	..	3¾
Do., due 1912	..	..	3½	90½	..	91	3¾
Do., due 1913	..	..	4	99¾	..	..	4
Do., due 1924	..	..	3	90½	..	91	4
Do., due 1915	..	..	3½	98	97½	98¼	3¾
Do., due 1927	..	..	3½	95	..	95	3¾
Do., due 1923	..	..	3½	95/10/	..	..	3½
Do., due 1919	..	..	3½	99	98	99	3½
Do., Act 1873	..	..	4	104	..	..	3¾
C. Sugar, D., '14	..	..	5	106	..	..	4½
BANKS.							
Australasia	40	40	17	121	121	122	5¾
Aus. B. Com.	1	1	2½	11/6	11/4½	11/6	4½
Bank of N.Q.	7	2	6	40/	..	..	6
City of Sydney	8	8	4½	5¾	5¾	6	5½
Ditto, new	10	8	4½	5½	5½	5¾	6½
Com. of Sydney	25	12½	10	29	29¼	29¾	4¼
Com. of Aust.	10/	10/	..	14/	..	..	..
Ditto, pref.	10	10	3	5/18/	..	..	5½
E. S. and A.	25	12½	7	..	..	..	..
London Bank	22½	7½	5	6¾	..	..	6
Ditto, pref.	10	10	7	13/8/	..	..	5¼
N.S.W.	20	20	10	46½	46½	46¾	4¼
Q'land Nat.	5	3	..	36/6	36/6	37/	..
New Zealand	6⅔	3⅓	15	11/16/6	..	..	4¼
Royal of Q.	9	6½	5	5½	..	37/	6
Union	75	25	14	63	63	63½	5½
DEPOSITS.							
A.R.C. Inscr.	..	..	4	16/1½	16/	16/3	4½
C. of A. Assets	..	..	3	17/10½	19/	..	3¾
E., S., and A. Inscr., pref.	..	..	3	12/9	12/6	..	4
Ditto, def.	..	..	4½	18/6	18/3	..	4½
Ditto, deb.	..	..	4	18/4½	18/4½	18/9	4½
Q'land Nat.	..	..	3½	19/	..	19/3	3¾
STEAM.							
Adelaide	1	1	10	35/	33/	..	5¾
Bal. N. Ferry	1	1	5	18/3	18/6	..	5½
Howard Smith	1	1	15	55/	52/6	54/	5½
Ditto, pref.	1	1	5	21/6	21/	..	4¾
Huddart, Parker	1	10/	..	16/9	16/3	16/9	..
Ditto, pref.	1	10/	..	13/3	..	13/3	..
Illawarra	1	15/	7	17/	16/6	17/	6
Newcastle	1	1	6	25/3	..	25/6	4¾
North Coast	1	1	8	29/	29/	29/3	5½
Ditto, new	1	1	..	29/	28/9	..	..
Port Jackson	1	15/	10	67/6	67/	67/6	..
Sydney Ferries	1	1	10	45/	44/6	45/6	4½
Union of N.Z.	1	1	9	49/3	48/6	49/3	3¾
INSURANCE.							
A.M. Fire	1	15/	14	45/	46/6	..	4¾
Col Mutual	1	1	12½	58/	..	..	4½
I.O.A.	10/	5/	..	6/7	6/6	6/8	..
Mer. Mutual	1	7/	13½	21/6	21/	21/9	4½
New Zealand	10	2	12½	94/3	93/6	..	5¾
Queensland	1	13/4	10	41/	40/6	..	3¼
Reinsurance	10/	5/	..	5/3	..	..	..
United	10	3½	12½	6¾	6¾	..	6
GAS.							
Australian	6	6	15	17¾	17/16/6	17¾	5
Manly	1	1	10	39/6	..	..	5
Ditto, new	1	7/6	..	21/	21/	..	..
North Shore	1	1	10	41/6	41/3	41/6	4¾
Ditto, new	1	10/	..	27/	26/	..	..
BREWERIES.							
Castlemaine (W.A.)	1	1	..	30/6	..	..	..
C. and W. Bros.	1	1	4	13/6	13/6	14/	6
Perkins'	15/	15/	20	42/	41/6	42/6	7¼
Toohey's	10	10	7	21/6	21/3	21/9	5¾
Tooth's	1	1	16	52/	51/9	52/	..
MISCELLANEOUS.							
Aerated Ex. Htl	15/	12/	7½	10/6	9/3	..	8¾
Ashwood's, ord.	1	1	5	18/	..	..	..
A. Taylor, Co.	1	1	10	30/6	..	29/	6½
A. Bread Co.	1	1	10	21/7½	21/3	22/6	9¼
Alderson, F.	1	1	8	..	..	..	..
Arthur Cocks	1	1	..	25/	..	25/	..
Aust. Pictures	1	1	..	15/6	..	..	..
Austral. Drug	1	1	..	26/6	26/	26/9	7½
Aust. Wireless	1	1	..	..	..	..	..
Aus. Wd. Pipes	1	1	10	26/3	26/6	27/6	7½
Beard, Watson	1	1	10	30/	30/	..	6¾
Ditto, pref.	1	1	6	..	20/	..	5¾
Bowron Bros.	1	1	10	16/6	15/6	16/9	12½
Brennan's	1	1	..	17/6	17/6	17/9	..
B.H.W. Supply	5	5	..	21/6	20/3	..	4½
Brooks, W.	1	1	7	..	..	21/	6¾
Burns, Philp	1	1	..	30/	..	30/	..
Col. Sugar	20	20	10	41½	41½	41¾	4¾
Clyde Eng.	1	1	..	35/3	..	..	5¾
Dalgety, Co.	20	5	8	6 16/	6¾	6¾	5¾
Dunlop R.	1	1	..	25/6	..	..	5
Emu Bay Rail.	1	1	..	6/	..	..	..
Emu P. G. M.B.	1	1	10	26/6	26/6	..	7½
E. Rich, Co.	1	1	5	13/9	..	13/9	7¼
Farmer and Co.	10	10	10	18/16/6	..	18½	5¼
Ditto, pref.	10	10	6	12	11¾	12¼	5
Feldheim, Gotthelf	1	1	5	17/6	..	..	5¾
G. Mort, Co.	1	1	23	46/3	46/3	46/6	8¼
Goodlet, Smith	15	15/	8	20/	..	20/6	6
R. J. Devlin	1	1	10	30/6	..	30/	6½
Ditto, contg.	1	10/	10	15/6	..	..	6½
Hart's	1	1	8	21/6	21/3	22/	7¼
H. Jones Coop	1	1	7½	29/	..	30/	5¾
Hotel Metropole	1	1	10	[illegible]	..	..	6¾
H. M'Kenzie	1	1	10	29/9	25/9	26/9	6¾
Ditto, pref.	1	1	7	30/	..	29/	6¾
Hyd. E. Illm.	1	1	10	25/	24/9	..	7¼
Ironite	1	1	..	12/3	12/9	14/	..
J. D. Williams	1	1	17½	20/7½	20/3	20/6	17
J. Fielding	1	1	10	..	..	..	..
J. C. Ludowici	1	1	8	25/9	..	26/6	6½
J. Sharp, Sons	1	1	..	21/9	21/9	..	..
Marshall's	1	1	10	27/6	..	22/6	8¾
M. Clark, Co.	1	1	8	26/6	..	..	6
Ditto, pref.	10	10	6	11	10½	11½	5½
Metters	1	1	20	25/9	25/	25/6	15½
Melb. Trams	1	10/	..	41/6	..	..	4¾
Mick Simmons	1	1	..	23/6	23/	23/6	..
Mont de Piete	1	1	12½	46/	..	46/3	5½
Ditto, new	1	2/6	..	11/	12/	15/	..
Mort's Dock	1	1	6	23/4½	22/6	22/	4¾
N.S.W. F.F.I.	15/	16/	10	24/	24/	25/	6¾
Nicholson's	1	1	10	22/	21/9	22/3	9
N.S. Collieries	1	1	5	22/6	..	..	4¾
Paris House	1	1	15	19/	..	..	15¾
Paul and Gray	1	1	10	27/6	..	27/6	7¼
Perdriau	1	1	15	41/	38/6	..	7
Perm. Trust	10	10/	10	19/6	..	20/	5¼
Perm. Trust	1	2/6	10	6/6	6/4	6/6	5¾
[illegible]	1	17/	10	23/	..	23/6	4½
P. S. Builders	1	1	..	24/6	23/9	24/3	..
R. H. Gordon	1	1	16	31/	28/	..	6½
Ditto, pref.	1	1	6	21/	20/6	..	5¾
R. and Wrench	1	1	7	22/6	22/	23/	6¾
Sanders, Sutton	1	1	..	6/6	6/	7/	..
Sargent's	1	1	10	26/4½	26/3	26/6	7¼
Silverton Tramway	1	1	40	5¾	5/8/	5¾	7¼
Stan. Waygood	1	1	15	45/3	45/3	45/6	6¾
Sun Newspaper	1	1	..	23/9	23/3	20/	..
[illegible]	10	10/	6	12	..	..	6
Syd. Hydraulic	1	1	8	21/3	20/6	21/6	7½
Ditto, contg.	1	10/	8	15/6	10/3	..	7¾
Syd. Ice Skating	1	1	..	29/3	..	28/	5
W. E. Smith	1	1	20	18/1½	17/9	18/3	11
W. H. Soul	1	1	15	61/	..	64/	4¾
Waters and Co.	1	1	10	21/	20/6	..	6¾
Ditto, pref.	1	1	7	21/6	20/	21/3	6½
Winchcombe, C.	1	1	6	21/3	21/	..	5¾
Wright, Heaton	25/	21/	10	37/6	..	..	5¾
Wunderlich	1	1	9	26/6	26/	..	6¾
Ditto, pref.	1	1	7	24/3	23/6	..	5¾
LAND AND B.							
Commercial	4	3	..	..	10/	..	..
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	6	[illegible]	28/6	..	8½
Industrial	[illegible]	[illegible]	6	17	..	..	7
Intercolonial	1	12/	10	26/9	25/6	..	3¾
Newcastle	11	10/	5	95/	..	..	10¼
COAL.							
Abermain	1	1	15	44/	[illegible]	..	8
Ditto, contg.	1	12/	..	[illegible]	[illegible]	..	..
[illegible]	1	1	15	57/6	56/	58/	8¼
[illegible]	1	6/	..	21/1½	22/3	..	..
[illegible]	10	10	12½	12¼	..	..	10
East Greta	1	1	10	22/4	21/6	24/	9¼
Ditto, pref.	1	1	..	42/	..	..	..
Hetton	5	5	..	2/2/6	[illegible]	..	..
[illegible]	1	1	8	22/	21/6	..	7¼
Ditto, * pref.	1	1	7½	12/	12/3	14/	12½
Mount Kembla	10	10	15	27	..	..	[illegible]
Newcastle	11	10	5	95/	90/	..	10¼
North Bulli	1	1	5	15/6	..	14/	7½
South Greta	10/	10/	..	6/9	6/6	6/8	..
Vale of Clwydd	1	1	15	37/	36/6	..	7½
Wallsend	10	10	20	19½	..	19½	5¼
W. and R.	1	1	..	12/6	13/	..	..
Ditto, new	1	18/	..	11/8	..	..	..
Ditto, pref.	1	1	12½	43/6	42/6	..	5¾

* Ex dividend.
† Where dividends are interim the average for the year is quoted.

STOCK EXCHANGE SALES.

The following sales were reported:—Morning: Bank of New South Wales, £46/5/; Colonial Sugar, £41/7/6; Goldsbrough, Mort, and Co., 46/6, 46/3; Goodlet and Smith, 20/; Nicholson and Co., 22/; Sargents, Limited, 26/4½; Standard Waygood, 45/3; Port Jackson Steam, 67/6; I.O.A., 6/7; Tooth and Co., 52/; Australian Gas Company, £17/17/6.

Noon: Australian Gas, £17/17/6; Castlemaine Brewery and Wood Bros., 13/6; Australian Drug Co., six weeks, 26/6; Bowron Bros., 16/6; Colonial Sugar, £41/10/; Goldsbrough, Mort, and Co., 46/3; Standard Waygood, 45/3; New South Wales, 3½ per cent. funded stock, due 1921, £95/10/.

Afternoon: W. Brooks (pref.), 20/9; Toohey's, Limited, 21/6; Australian Bank of Commerce, 11/6; Australian Gas, £17/17/6; Goldsbrough, Mort, and Co., 46/3; New Zealand 4 per cent. Debentures, 1922, £100; North Coast Steam, 29/; Brennan's Amphitheatres, 17/6; Perkins' Brewery, 42/; Aerated Bread, 21/7½; Hart's, Limited, 21/6; North Shore Gas (old), 41/6/ National Bank, £5/7/; N.S.W., 3½ per cent. funded stock, due 1921 £95; Sanders, Sutton, 6/6; Queensland Treasury Bills, 4 per cent., due January 1, 1913, £100.

INTERSTATE EXCHANGES.

MELBOURNE, Tuesday.

To-day's sales were:—

Morning: Goldsbrough, 46/9, 46/; Land Mortgage, 11/6; I.O.A. Insurance, 6/9; Huddart, Parker, ord., 16/6; Howard Smith (new issue), 15/6; Melbourne [illegible]

21/; New Northcote Brick, 8/6; Swallow and Ariell, 21/6; Port Swettenham, 24/4.

Afternoon:—National Bank, £5/7/6; Bank of Australasia, £121; Bank of Victoria, 36/; Colonial Bank, ord., 39/6, 45/10½; Goldsbrough, 46/9, 46/; Federal Building Society, 20/6; Victoria Permanent, 5/9; Land Mortgage, 11/6; Melbourne Trams, 42/7½; I.O.A. Insurance, 6/9; Amalgamated Pictures, 18/, 17/11; Howard Smith (new issue), 15/8, 15/9; Melbourne Hydraulic, 18/; Dunlop Rubber, ord., 24/3, 24/9; Huddart, Parker, ord., 16/6; Grand Hotel, 25/3; Melbourne Electric Supply, pref., £6; ditto con. stock, 21/; London Stores, 21/6; New Northcote Brick, 8/6; "Herald" and "Weekly Times," 51/; Port Swettenham, 24/4; Swallow and Ariel, 21/6; Victoria Coffee, 15/1; Woods' Gilbert, 35/.

FINANCIAL.

BANK ABSTRACTS.

The principal features of the quarterly abstracts of the undermentioned bank, as applying to its New South Wales business, for the quarter ended March 3', compared with those of the previous quarter, are as follows:—

BANK OF NORTH QUEENSLAND.

	Quarter ended Dec. 31.	Mar. 31.
Note circulation	£138,461	£138,392
Deposits, current	157,686	160,391
Deposits, fixed	42,561	36,346
Coin and bullion	10,699	10,548
Australian notes	232,275	234,126

PORT SWETTENHAM RUBBER CO., LTD.

The first dividend of the Port Swettenham Rubber Company, Ltd., already announced, will absorb £2575. This company and the Bukit Kubu, the two F.M.S. estates in which Australian investors are chiefly interested, are, says the "Argus," referred to in favourable terms in a recent Kuala Lumpur publication, "Grenier's Rubber News." Regarding the Port Swettenham—after pointing out that the company was floated during the boom, when there was "a certain amount of lunacy in the air," and that, in addition to heavy capitalisation, litigation has worried shareholders—some facts of interest are detailed. The property is referred to as being now clean-weeded, and Mr. S. P. Ellis, the manager, is complimented on having brought the estate into line with other properties in the district, and on having reduced expenses to a minimum by a system of work which includes his own inventions for storage of water and latex tank. Of the total area of 323 acres, 220 are stated to be planted and 123 acres in bearing, the trees being tapped numbering 29,000, while it is hoped to bring another 60 acres to the tapping stage during the coming year. For the financial year ending June next Mr. Ellis puts the estimate of dry rubber at 88,000lb, the actual dry rubber harvested for the last six months of 1911 being 43,064lb from less than 150 acres. The cost of production delivered at Singapore was estimated at 53 cts., or a little over 1/3, and the Singapore expenses were not expected to exceed 12 cts., or /4 per lb. At an average price of 4/ per lb for the product, a profit of £11,000 for the year is predicted by the manager. Dealing with the Bukit Kubu, the same publication states that 430 acres of the total area of 627 acres have been planted. Out of the 180 acres of older trees the management is tapping 6000 trees, and the total crop for the year ending June 30 is estimated at 8000lb. Another 50 acres, it is stated, are being opened up at once. The cost of production is given as 62 cts., or 1/6 per lb, on the estate.

AUSTRALIAN MARINE FIBRES.

The following circular has been issued by Mr. W. D. Wade, managing director of the above company:—

I am pleased to report that all arrangements for commencing operations are now nearly completed; inevitable delays have occurred owing to late delivery of portions of the plant, and other circumstances beyond our control.

The dredging of our channel is expected to be finished within the next fortnight our shore works and private jetty are just being completed. The No. 1 dredge and houseboat are now about to be taken over from the builders, Chas. Rowolt Proprietary, Ltd., of Victoria, who have supplied a high-class plant which should prove efficient for the work for which it has been designed.

I may take this oportunity of assuring shareholders that the reported non-success of certain other fibre companies has no bearing whatever upon the prospects of the industry, seeing that up to the present no other company has established a complete plant for dealing with the proposition on a commercial scale.

We shall have all ready for a trial run of the whole of the plant and machinery before the end of this month.

We continue to receive inquiries and information which show that there is an assured market for the fibre at satisfactory prices.

NEW ZEALAND'S EXPORTS FALL, IMPORTS RISE.

Statistics that have been prepared by the Wellington Chamber of Commerce to show New Zealand's external trading and its relation to interest liabilities are interesting. Briefly, the position is that a substantial falling off in value of exports has been accompanied by a considerable expansion in imports, leaving an insufficient margin to meet charges for interest on indebtedness. Taking the last five years ended September 30 (covering the true exporting periods), the figures are:—

	Exports. £	Imports. £	Excess. £
1907	19,851,846	16,071,887	E. 3,819,959
1908	16,370,587	17,750,868	I. 1,380,281
1909	18,700,159	14,916,005	E. 3,784,154
1910	21,058,864	16,101,886	E. 5,856,978
1911	19,912,656	18,611,960	E. 1,300,696

Thus the margin for the latest year covered in this statement will not be sufficient to meet the demands in the way of interest charges. The statement of indebtedness and cost in interest is as follows (summarised):—

	Debt. £	Interest. £
Government loans	81,078,122	2,998,975
Local bodies' loans	14,462,770	715,289
Total interest		3,714,264

"Assuming the exports realised the declared values," say the Chamber of Commerce statement, "it is evident that some £2,400,000 will have to be provided to meet interest obligations." It will probably be disputed by very few people that the general line of argument on which the chamber proceeds is legitimate. A debtor country must sell more than it purchases by so much as is needed to meet interest charges. That will be admitted, and the narrow margin of exports over imports will be acknowledged as an unfavourable symptom of the Dominion's outside trading operations. Nevertheless, this is a very elementary, rough-and-ready method of making out a national balance-sheet, and it places the situation in a rather worse light than all the facts warrant. To begin with, the statement of the public debt gives the gross amount, while accrued sinking funds are allowed for in respect of local bodies' loans. This is probably an oversight, still it is an exaggeration, whether intentional or accidental. Moreover, the origin of the loans has been overlooked. It so happens that 18 per cent. or more than one-sixth of the national debt, and over 50 per cent. of the local bodies' loans, were raised in New Zealand. Thus there is practically £900,000 of the total interest bill that cannot be said to go out of the country, or to be required to balance the difference between external sales and external purchases. Again, no allowance is made for possible earnings of New Zealand investments abroad. The South British Insurance Company of New Zealand, for example, does considerable business in other countries; some New Zealand pastoralists have properties in Australia, which it is conceivable bring some profit into the Dominion. And if interest goes away, as stated, there is loan money coming in which has some stimulative effect on national trading operations. It is, of course, regrettable, and a matter for reasonable concern, that the value of exports should shrink, but the position is not quite so bad as may be imagined from an unconsidered glance at the bald statistics.

MORE INSURANCE RESTRICTION.

One of the bills recently introduced in the New York Senate is intended, if it becomes a law, to limit the commissions which may be paid to agents and brokers writing fire and casualty insurance to 15 per cent., and also to limit the administration expenses of liability and casualty companies to 32½ per cent. This bill has, we learn, aroused considerable opposition, principally because it applies to the total business of the companies, whether written within or outside of New York State. Under such conditions, it is pointed out that companies operating in New York would be at a serious disadvantage, as new companies might be formed outside of New York, which, not being restricted as would be the companies operating in New York, could pay sufficiently high commissions to get the cream of the business outside of New York, and then, if desirable, when a large volume had been secured, could enter New York and reduce its expenses. In the meantime, however, the old companies, being restricted by the New York law, would have lost their business to new or unrestricted companies. It is natural, therefore, that the companies which have spent many years in building up a good volume of business should not be disposed to see it taken from them because of such a legal limitation in one State. This is a very serious matter to the companies which are domiciled in New York.

AMALGAMATED PICTURES, LIMITED.

The report of the Amalgamated Pictures, Ltd., of Melbourne, for the half-year ended February 29, and the first yearly report of the company, shows a profit for the half-year of 4941, which with £252 brought forward from the previous year leaves £5193 available for distribution. The directors propose to write off balance of preliminary expenses, £750, to provide for bad and doubtful debts, and income tax £733, to place £500 to the reserve fund, making it £1500, to pay a dividend of 1/ per share, absorbing £3035, and to carry forward to next account £174. The report states that numerous conferences have taken place between the directors and directors of other leading picture and biograph concerns of Australia, with the object of blending the firm's purchasing and hiring interests. These negotiations have now passed the preliminary stage, and promise to be of great advantage to the various companies, also giving film hirers, exhibitors, and the general public a much better service.

THE AMERICAN PICTURE PALACE, LTD.

At the statutory meeting of the American Picture Palace, Ltd., yesterday, Dr. Mander Jones presiding, it was stated that the net profits for the first three months amounted to £894, which, after payment of three monthly dividends of /6 each, left a surplus of £410. The average weekly net profit of the first three months amounted to £79, since increased during the past three weeks to £91. It was decided that shareholders making immediate application should be permitted to take a pro rata proportion of the unallotted shares at face value; otherwise none were to be disposed of under 25/.

THE GOLD YIELD OF AUSTRALASIA.

As nearly as can be ascertained, Australasia, in the first quarter of this year, produced 636,836oz of gold, a reduction of 83,180oz on the corresponding period of 1911, and of 149,191oz on the first three months of 1910. The decline is general, all the States and New Zealand participating. Shortage of labour and increased cost of production, which cannot be passed on, has without doubt had an effect on the output, though these factors do not account for the whole increase. According to figures collected by the "Argus," the yields of the different States and of New Zealand were as follows:—

GOLD YIELD—FIRST QUARTER.

	1910. Fine Oz.	1911. Fine Oz.	1912. Fine Oz.
Victoria	158,856	136,024	115,422
New South Wales	51,179	42,000	34,589
Queensland	101,224	86,466	79,160
Western Australia	355,362	332,097	301,404
*South Australia (including Northern Territory)	1,860	2,000	2,500
*Tasmania	11,100	9,000	9,000
Total Commonwealth	679,891	609,277	542,465
New Zealand	106,196	110,739	94,371
Total	786,027	720,016	636,836

*Approximate.

NOTES AND COMMENTS.

We have been advised that Mr. George Morgan, who retired from the directorate of Nicholson and Co., Ltd., some time ago, and prior to his departure for Europe, has been re-elected a director, his son, Mr. W. S. Morgan, retiring for that purpose.

The Federal Mutual Insurance Company of Australia, Ltd., the full prospectus of which appeared in our advertising columns on Saturday last, announces that the share list will close on or before the 30th inst. and that preference will be given to applicants with insurable interests.

The Japanese steamer Nikko Maru took on board 10 boxes of gold, valued at £14,835, shipped by Chinese merchants, for the East.

COMMERCIAL.

THE MARKETS.

FIRMNESS OF RICE.

The market for jute was steady yesterday. Little business was doing on spot, though there was a fair inquiry from the country for branbags, which were procurable at 6/3 delivered. Deliveries from the Uganada were usually slow, due no doubt to the number of hands through which many documents had to pass. Some inquiries were made for shipment to Tasmania by the Westralia. A little business as downe in forward lots, 50 bales in the March boat changing hands at 5/4½ slings, and from the April boat 50 bales sold at 5/3 slings. Woolpacks and cornsacks were quiet at unchanged prices. There were some trade lots of ore pockets, 16oz sold at 3/ for export to Queensland. The Calcutta market was cabled as steady, but orderings from the mills were of small account. As to the future "capital" by the last mail reports, "Though there is some dulness, as far as the mills go there is no give at all, and generally second holders see no reason to alter their rates, but are quietly waiting for the turn of the tide once more. Latest mail advices from the United States were very strong in favour of the maintenance of a high level of values, as bag manufacturers were being inundated with orders, for the execution of which they were bare of cloth. The reports from the River Plate, too, were favourable for a good demand, so that there does not seem to be any call for holders to let down values."

Metals were singularly dull. All houses were in line in quoting distributing lots of bar iron at £12 per ton as the basis price, with shoeing iron at £13. Other lines were slow. Tinplates were extremely quiet. Galvanised iron was not quite so brisk. Cement had a good sale at late rates.

The distribution of Meggitt's oils for the week amounted to 2000 gallons, rather below the average on account of there being only four business days. Imported linseed oil was unchanged in price, with a fair distributing trade. The weakness of the turpentine market was reflected in a sale made yesterday, when prices were a penny down. Two hundred cases of Pinetree changed hands at 3/2. Two tons of Walker Parker's white lead was obtained at £37/10/ per ton in cwts. Champion's was a trifle easier at 39/, distributing.

Eastern produce had good business in the distributing trade, but the parcel trade was light. Rice was cabled very firm from Rangoon, and as to Indian rice, of which the harvest is said to be a partial failure, the latest price by mail, March 22, was 15/5 c.i.f. Sydney, for Seeta—at one time a favourite rice here—as against 11/9 12 months previously. How prices have risen can be gleaned from this quotation, which would mean a landed cost on wharf of at least 22/3 per cwt. as against a distributing price of the best locally dressed Rangoon rice, 20/6. Twelve months ago locally dressed rice of the best qutlity was selling at 18/ per cwt., so that while the Eastern markets have moved up 3/8 the local market has moved only 2/6. Cloves, which had been reduced /2 per lb. as noted some days ago, had moved up in the centres of production, but this did not affect prices here. Tapiocas were firm and unchanged. Canary seed was a little easier, and could be procured for distributing lots at 19/6. For parcels 18/6 was asked.

The tea auction yesterday was well attended. There was fair competition, and in many cases rates from a farthing to a halfpenny above prices paid at the previous sale were obtained. Of the 620 packages of Ceylon and Indian teas offered all the Ceylons were cleared up to 10 1-8d, and three-quarters of the Indians up to /9½. Samples by the mail were those from the sale when the Colombo market dropped. The samples explained the drop, for whereas Colombo eased in price a halfpenny, the quality was fully a penny worse. No doubt this fact was the cause of some strength at the auction yesterday. It was puzzling how the Ceylon market maintained its strength throughout the coal strike in England, although tea at the opening was lower in London, as Messrs. M'Meekin and Co. state in their circular. The quantity sold in January and February represented 20 per cent. more than London deliveries for the same two months, so that dealers and blenders must have strengthened their position. Stocks on February 29 amounted to 126,557,000lb, four million pounds more than on February 28, 1911, and yet, according to a cablegram received in Melbourne, stocks at the end of March this year were 4,500,000lb less than at the end of March last year. As to the prospects of the Indian tea season, latest advices state that reports from all districts are to the effect that rain is badly needed to bring out the first flush, very little having fallen since October last.

THE WINE AND SPIRIT MARKET.

Messrs. Brown and Park, of London, in their latest report on the prospects of the wine and spirit trade, make the following remarks:—

Claret.—The cheaper qualities are scarce, and prices in many cases have advanced 50 per cent., the quantity of 1911's is small, but the quality good, but prices asked are too high. The white wines are not so good as the red; 1909's are progressing well, 1905 and 1906 are improved; 1907 and 1908 are well liked.

Burgundy.—1909 wines are turning out better than was expected, and 1908 are in good demand. Prices must continue high.

Australian.—1911 showed a gain in consumption of 31,088 gallons, but in January there was a decline of 40,895 gallons. Prices here are likely to advance.

Port.—The demand is steady, with about an average consumption. The quantity of 1911's was very short, but the quality will be fine. It is uncertain yet whether any will be put forward as vintage wine. The production in the Douro was one-third less than in 1910.

Sherry.—Demand has improved; the market is well supplied with good wines at moderate prices, and the old style of wine is coming more into use.

Champagne.—By the latest decision of the French law this word is now confined to wines grown in the Marne Department, others are to be described as sparkling wines only. Prices here for the finest brands advance steadily, and must eventually be dearer still. The weather and late frost have interfered somewhat with shipments. The 1906 wines are turning out very satisfactory, being fully equal to, some think finer than, 1904's.

Whisky (Scotch).—Production is the lowest for many years. Stocks have been reduced 3,712,000 gallons. Prices continue to stiffen, and demand is very active. Since October, highland malt has advanced 3d per gallon. Export trade is very active, whiskies eight years or more old have risen 1s per gallon. Barley is 5s dearer, and has sold at 36s per quarter. Grain whisky is very firm, and a further advance is expected.

Irish Whisky.—There has been a better trade at remunerative prices. Exports have also increased.

BREADSTUFFS.

AN EXCITED MARKET.

The market for breadstuffs was again excited yesterday, and sales of parcels were made up to 4/1 for prompt delivery. For extended delivery, May to December, sellers wanted 4/3. At these prices the market was purely local, as the values were above the shipping parity. At auction chick-wheat realised for truck lots up to 4/4, but it must be remembered that in such a case about 40 to 50 days' credit would be given. There was talk of business in parcels for prompt delivery above 4/1, but it is believed that this was for cancellation of contracts, and so was not a true market price. What was bought at 4/1 was by speculators who believed that in consequence of the dry weather the market would go higher. Shippers for farmers' lot would not pay more than 3/11½ ex trucks Sydney, but business was on the smallest scale. London was cabled as firm, and prices the same as the previous day. Our own cables show that there have been sales of half a dozen cargoes up to 40/ for cargoes off the coast of England, and at 39/3 for April shipment, considerably above the previous April shipment sale. The unfavourable crop reports from Chicago, one private cable stated, were not influencing the market, whose strength lay in a great measure in the demand from France. The second official report on the Indian crop for 1912 estimates the area at 29,540,000 acres, a decrease of about 130,000 acres on the area of the previous year. The yield of the harvest now being reaped is estimated at 45,500,000 quarters, a decrease of about 800,000 quarters on last year, when the exports amounted to 6,100,000 quarters. Last year, it will be remembered, was a record crop.

Flour was quiet at the advanced prices. £9/5/ is the highest rate since October, 1910. Consumers were naturally asking themselves when bread would be put up, although bakers have bought well ahead at the cheaper rates.

ARRIVALS BY RAIL.

Wheat and Flour.—The receipts of wheat and flour by rail at Darling Harbour and other metropolitan stations for the week ended April 16, compared with previous arrivals, are as follow:—

	Wheat. Tons.	Flour. Tons.
Week ended April 16	18,865	885
A week ago	9,744	464
A year ago	6,071	626
Two years ago	9,685	457
Three years ago	2,295	529

The totals to date for the present statistical year, which commenced on December 1, compare with those of the corresponding period of the previous year:—

	Wheat. Tons.	Flour. Tons.
1912	237,208	15,532
1911	333,881	12,834
1910	392,145	6,836
1909	181,655	10,213
1908	68,800	5,730
1907	200,889	13,951

Comparison of Prices.—The mean prices now ruling for wheat and its products compare with those of a year ago and two years ago as follows:—

	Yesterday.	Last year.	Two years ago.
Wheat, per bushel	£0 4 0	£0 3 3½	£0 3 11½
Flour, per ton	9 5 0	8 5 0	10 2 6
Bran, per ton	6 0 0	4 10 0	4 15 0
Pollard, per ton	6 10 0	4 10 0	4 10 0

In the case of flour, bran, and pollard, the prices given are association rates.

In the case of wheat, the price is the average paid by shippers.

"FINAL" FLOUR.

Another contribution to the long discussion on whole meal v refined flour is furnished in a report by Dr. Hagemann, of Poppelsdorf, on his investigation with "final" flour. According to "The Miller," this "final" is the result of some experiments by Professor Finkler, the process by which it is manufactured being as follows:—Chalky water and cooking salt is added to the bran, which is then pulverised on specially constructed rollers, for the purpose of bursting and dissolving away the fibrous husks of the nitrogenous (albuminous) particles of the bran, in order that the digestive juices of men and animals can deal with the albuminous cells, and assimilate the nutriment. As regards the roller mill, millers will be interested to know that this consists not only of a pair set vertically one on the other, and running at a definite speed, but also of a third roller, the direction of operation and movement of which is from left to right. Dr. Hagemann points out that hitherto bran has proved absolutely indigestible for human beings and animals, and has not anything like the value that might be expected from its chemical constituents. The reason for this has not yet been ascertained, and the explanation seems still to be some way off. Experts are not even unanimous as to whether the nitrogen in the bran is albumen at all. Professor Hagemann has carried out a number of experiments with "final" flour. He brought about artificial digestion by means of pepsin-hydrochloric acid, and has been feeding pigs, horses, and oxen with "final" flour combined with other fodder. The results attained are not, in his opinion, entirely conclusive, but to a great extent prove that the "final" flour can be more successfully assimilated than ordinary bran. This was particularly the case with an old horse, from which it is inferred that similar results would be expected from human beings of riper years, for it is acknowledged that their powers of mastication resemble fairly closely those of an old horse. Professor Hagemann, however, attributes special qualities to "final" flour when it is thoroughly combined with lime and lime compounds. Bran prepared in this way, and treated on Professor Finkler's process, being at the same time mixed with lime (particularly with phosphate of lime), is in the highest degree effective against rickets and against softening and brittleness of the bone. The chemical explanation of this is that lime and phosphate of lime compounds unite preferably with albuminous bodies, and the separated albuminous cells of the bran are rendered suitable for this after they have been treated by Finkler's method. From the foregoing it appears, therefore, that "final" flour is less a general food than a preventive against certain diseases. All the same, further trials seem necessary in order to confirm whether this invention of "final" is really a step forward in milling practice.

At Darling Harbour yesterday 2094 tons of wheat and 135 tons of flour were manifested to arrive.

GENERAL MERCHANDISE.

[Unless otherwise specified, prices are for distributing lots only.]

TEA.

Mr. Claud J. Gant offered at auction yesterday on behalf of Messrs. Claude Healy and Co. 650 packages of Ceylon and Indian teas. All the Ceylons were cleared to fair competition up to /10½, and three-quarters of the Indians up to /9½.

JUTE.

Cornsacks: New standard, on spot, 5/8 per doz.
Woolpacks: On spot, 2/8 each.
Branbags: Spot, 6/3 per doz.
Ore pockets: 16oz 3/, 20oz 3/3 per doz.

EASTERN PRODUCE.

Barley: Pearl, 20/6 per cwt., in sacks; 20/9 in 56lb bags.
Beans: Nominal, 8/6 to 9/ in 56lb bags.
Oatmeal: 7lb bags, 23/6 per cwt; flaked, 7lb bags, 25/ per cwt; 2lb packets, 5/9 per doz; rolled oats 5lb bags, 25/6 per cwt; 2lb packets, 5/9 per doz.
Coconut: Desiccated, /6½ per lb; tins, 1lb, at 10/6 a doz.
Ginger: Whole bleached parcels, /6½, distributing /9½, ground, loose parcels /9, distributing /10; tins, /11, preserved, /8 to /8½.
Maize: Meal, 7lb bags, 14/6 per cwt; 2lb bags, 15/6 per cwt, bulk 15/ per cwt.
Peas: Blue, boiling, 8/6 per bushel; split, 16/3 in sacks, 18/6 in 56lb bags, parcels 10/ a ton less.
Rice: Best China, £25 (in mats); best Japan, £24/10/; locally dressed, from £18/10/ to £20/10/ per ton, according to grade, in 56lb bags; 10/ less for parcels of each sort; island £12 (in bond) per ton.
Seeds: Canary, 19/6 per cwt in sacks, 19/9 per cwt in bags; birdseed, 19/6 per cwt in sacks; hemp, 17/6; linseed, whole, sacks 24/, 56's 24/6 per cwt; linseed, crushed, sacks 25/6, 56's 26/ per cwt; rape, 22/ per cwt.
Spices: Cloves, 1/1 per lb; mace, 3/ per lb for whole, 3/2 for ground; pimento, /8½ to /9 per lb; carraway seeds, whole /9 per lb, ground /10 per lb; pepper, pure white, whole 1/0½, ground 1/1 per lb, in 7lb bags 1/1½; pure black, whole /11, loose /11½, in 7lb bags /11½; cinnamon, whole or ground, 1/9 per lb; mixed spice, loose /9, 1oz packets 1/; nutmeg, case lots /10½, smaller lots /11½ to 1/.
Tapioca: Seed, sacks, 22/ per cwt; medium pearl, 23/ per cwt; flaked tapioca, 28/ per cwt; /6 extra for 56lb bags.

DRIED FRUITS.

Currants: Australian, Four Crown, /6½ per lb; Three Crown, /6; Two Crown, /5½; One Crown, /5½. Imported: Amalias, /6½; Provincials, /6½.
Sultanas: Four Crown, /7½; Three Crown, /7½; Two Crown, /7; One Crown, /6½.
Lexias: Five Crown, /5½; Four Crown, /5; seedless raisins, /5½; muscat sultanas, /6.
Apricots: Four Crown, /9½ per lb; Three Crown, /9; Two Crown, /8; One Crown, /7; plain, /5½.
Peaches: Four Crown, /12½ per lb; Three Crown, /11½; Two Crown, /9; One Crown, /7; plain, /5.
Muscatels: Trays, Six Crown, 1/0½; Four Crown, /10½; Two Crown, /8; cartons, halfpenny more; table raisins, faced /5½, unfaced /5; muscatels, loose, /4.
Seeded raisins: Cartons, No. 1 6/4½, No. 2 6/1½ per dozen; loose, No. 1 /5½, No. 2 /5½ per lb. Pears, /11; apples, 11/6 per dozen 1lb cartons.
Dates: Good quality, /4½, distributing lots.
Figs: Protobens, in 5lb boxes, /9; 10oz boxes, at 5/6 a dozen.
Muscats: Malaga, 1/; Mildura, 1/.
Prunes: California, /10; French, /10.

GROCERIES.

Candles: Imported Goudas, /7½; D.R.J., /7½; local makes, from /4½ to /6½.
Clothes pegs: 5in 4/, 4½in 3/8 to 3/9 per bdx.
Fruit, tinned: No. 1 grade, assorted, 9/6; No. 2 grade, 9/3 per doz; peaches, 11/ per doz.; pears, 9/6; pineapples, first grade, to 7/6.
Hops: Crown, 1/4 per lb; Golden Cross, 1/3.
Jams: Australian brands, No. 1, in 2lb tins, 7/6 per doz.; in 1lb tins, 4/ per doz.; No. 2, in 2lb tins, 7/2; [illegible]
Milk: Imported, Nestle's and Gold Medal, 28/6 per case of 48 tins, for 10-case lots and over; local makes, Milkmaid and Cressbrook, 23/ per case of 48 tins, for 10-case lots and over, /6 extra per case is charged for less than 10-case lots; Queensland Standard, 22/ a case of 48 tins, for 5-case lots, 22/6 for single case; Gold Crown, 8/6 a dozen for 5-case lots, 8/7½ for smaller lots.
Lemon peel, /6; citron, /8½; orange, /6 per lb.
Matches: Wax vestas, 3/6 to 3/6½, 6's and 12's; Australian, 12's 3/4½ to 3/5; safeties, 2/3 to 2/9; phosphorus, 3/7½.
Nuts: Walnuts, /9; Brazil, 1/3; Barcelona, /9; almonds, soft-shelled, /9; ditto, Jordan, 2/1½ to 2/3.
Salt: Adelaide, coarse, 62/6; crude, 50/; refined, coarse, 67/6; floury, 72/6; extra fine, 75/; dairy, finest, 85/ a ton. Liverpool: Coarse, 72/6; fine 80/ per ton.
Rocksalt: Liverpool, red, ex store, 50/ per ton, to land 47/6; white, 65/ to 67/6.
Salmon: Scroll, talls, 11/9 per doz., 1lb tins; flats, 1lb tins, 11/9; halves, 7/9, in distributing lots; Geema, talls 10/6, flats 10/9, halves 7/; Kariuk Horseshoe, 10/; Ewen, 10/6 talls, 10/9 flats, 1lb tins, 6/9 halves, flats; Monarch, flats 10/3, halves 6/9; Unicorn, talls 9/6, halves 6/9.
Salt fish: Herrings, 25/, in half-barrels; salmon, half-barrels, nominally, /6 per lb; ling, /5½.
Sardines: Tref., halves 6/6, quarters 5/; ordinary brands, halves 4/3 to 4/6, quarters 2/6 to 2/9; smoked sardines, halves 6/3 to 6/6, quarters 3/9 to 4/, eighths 2/6.
Whiting: Gostling's, 90/ per ton; local makes, 65/ to 70/.

CHEMICALS.

Ammonia, muriate of: Galvanisers' crystals, £40 to £40 per ton; battery crystals, £45.
Bluestone (Macclesfield): £25 per ton.
Borax: Powder, £24; lump, £23 in parcels, in cwt kegs, 2cwt kegs 10/ less; boracic, £42 per ton.
Sodas: Bicarbonate (Brunner Mond), £7/12/6 to £7/15/ in 3's, to £8/10/ in 1's, distributing lots 9/ per cwt; mineral water strength, tinted (Brunner Mond), £7 to £7/5/5; caustic, Muspratt's, 70 to 72 per cent., in parcels, £13 spot; Greenbank, 76 to 77 per cent., in parcels, £14; Brunner Mond, 70 to 72 per cent., £13 on spot, 2/6 less to arrive; B.M., 76 to 77 per cent., £13/15/; silicate soda, liquid, £7 for parcels, lump £8/5/ parcels; soda ash, £7 in 10's, £7/5/ in 5's, £7/10/ in 3's.
Cream of tartar: 95 per cent., ½, distributing; 99 per cent., /01, distributing.
Carb. ammonia: B.M., lump, in 2cwt cases, /6 per lb; powdered, /7½ per lb.
Caustic potash (electrolytic): 90 per cent., £42 per ton.
Cyanide: /8½ per lb.
Citric acid: Spot, 1/6½ per lb.
Phosphorus: In 10lb tins, 2/9.
Rosin: "G" grade, £15 to £15/5/, parcels: "N" grade, £16/5/ to £16/10/, parcels.
Carbide: £13/15/ to £14, in parcels, according to brand, £14/5/ to £14/10/ distributing; motorlight size, £16.
Strychnine: Spot, 2/0 per oz.
Sulphur, flowers of: Parcels, £8/17/6 ordinary, £13 best.
Tartaric acid: 1/2 per lb.

OILS.

Benzoline: 1/10 per gallon; gasoline, 1/8 per gallon.
Benzine: 1/6 per gallon.
Castor oil, machinery: Distributing, 3/4 per case, 2/7 in drums; in cases, parcels, 2/2; Liverpool seconds, 2/6.
China: Pure, No. 1 5/10, No. 2 5/7, denaturated (under Customs supervision), 3/9 per gallon.
Cottonseed oil: First brands 6/, seconds 5/4 in cases, according to quality; Soya bean oil, refined, 5/3.
Cod: Norwegian, 2/3; Newfoundland, 2/4.
Creosote: Pure, 2/ per gallon, in cases, 2/6 in drums, two-gallon tins 2/3, gallon tins 1/.
Japanese fish: No. 1 Yokohama herring, 1/10 to 1/11 per gallon.
Kerosene (per gallon): Snowflake, ex store Sydney and Newcastle, /11½; Light of the Age, /11½; Argonite (Australian), /11½; Royal Daylight engine kerosene, /9½ f.o.r. or f.o.b. Sydney and Newcastle; petrolite engine kerosene, /8.
Linseed oil (per gallon): First brands, spot, raw, 4/10; double-boiled, 5/; second brands 4/9, boiled 4/11; local, 4/8 in cases.
Lucca: C and B, half-pints, 11/ to 11/3; pints 19/6 to 20/6, quarts 36/6 to 38/6 a doz.
Motor-car spirit: 1/6 4-gallon tins, 1/8 2-gallon tins.
Naphtha, 1/7 per gallon.
Neatsfoot: Pure, 2/9 per cask, 3/ per drum, net; compound, 2/3 to 2/6.
Olive oil: South Australia, 32/ per dozen quarts, 19/ per dozen pints; imported, 12/ and 11/ per gallon.
Oleine: Dark £28, pale £30 per ton net naked.
Rosin oil: 2/7 per gallon.
Rapeseed: No. 1, 5/6; Colza, recognised brands, 6/.
Redheads: First brands, £27 in cwts., £28 in qrs.; second brands, £1 per ton less.
Soya Bean Oil: 5/6 to 5/9.
Stockholm tar, imported: Best, 6/10½, parcels 7/3 to 7/6 distributing; Morrison's, 5/9 to 6/ parcels, 6/3 distributing.
Turpentine (per gallon): Pratt's, 3/6 net, 3/8 to 3/9 usual terms; Pinetree, 3/4 to 3/5; Socony mineral turpentine, 1/9.
Whitelead: First brands, 39/6 per cwt., distributing lots, in cwts; parcels, 39/6, second brands, 38/; parcels 36/6; 28's, /6 per cwt. on these prices.
Whale: Machine filtered, 2/4 to 2/6 net, wholesale.
Wool-marking oils: Australian, black 2/ to 2/3, according to brand; other colours, 2/9; imported, from 3/5 to 4/, according to brand.
Zinc, white: Dry, Australian Red Seal, £37/10/ per ton net, £38 in small lots net; English, in oil, £30 first brands, £1 less for second brands.

METALS.

Axes: Kelly's, to 43/ per doz; Plumb's, 50/; Collins's Australian, 46/.
Bar iron: £12; shoeing iron, £13 per ton.
Cartridges: 12gr. C.F.P., 72/6; 22-calibre, R.F., black powder, 13/3 short, 14/6 long, smokeless 14/9 to 16/9.
Cement: Imported, 13/ to 14/ per cask, according to brand; local, 12/6 for three bags on trucks Darling Harbour.
Explosives: Dynamite, 43/; geligulte, 41/; gelatine dynamite, 50/6; blasting gelignite, 55/6 per case of 50lb; ordinary blasting powder, /6½ per lb; fuse, first brands, double tape, /3½ per coil in case of 300 coils; second brands, /6 per coil.
Fencing Wires.—Black: English, No. 10, £10/5/; German, ex store, No. 8, £8/2/6, ex wharf, £8; No. 10, £8/12/6; American, No. 8, £8/2/6; No. 10, £8/12/6; galvanised, German, No. 8, £10/10/, No. 8, £10/10/ spot, No. 10, £10/15/, No. 12, to £11/15/; American, No. 6, £10/10/, No. 8, £10/10/, ex store, £10/7/6 ex wharf, No. 10, £10/15/, No. 12, £11/15/. Barbed wire: Australian, 12-gauge, close set £12/12/6, long set £12/17/6 per ton; 14-gauge, close set £13/17/6, long set, £14/2/6; special 12-gauge, close set £16/7/6, long set £16/12/6; special 14-gauge, close set £17/12/6, long set £17/17/6; ½cwt reels 5/ a ton extra; American, Iowa, No. 12-gauge £14/5/ to £14/10/, No. 14-gauge £16; long-distance, English, £16/17/6 to £18 for 12 and 14 gauge respectively.
Galvanised iron, corrugated: First brands, £19/5/, second brands £18/15/, third brands £18/5/, in 8ft lengths; in 9ft lengths 15/ more, 10ft lengths 30/ more than 8ft.
Galvanised iron, plain, 24, 26, and 29 gauge: First brands, £19/10/, £19/15/, £20/5/, 15/ less for second brands 24 and 26 gauge, 5/ less for second brands 28 gauge.
Guttering and downpiping: 40 to 45 per cent. off list.
Galvanised roofing screws: 50/ per cwt.
Hoop iron: Galvanised, £17/5/ for regular sizes, 10/ extra in cwts; black, £13/5/; galvanised, trade size, 11/6 cwt, cash lots, 10/6 for loose lots.
Hayforks: 5ft, 3-prong, 21/; 5½ft, 22/6; 6ft, 23/6; 6½ft, 25/6; 7ft, 28/ per doz.
Iron tanks: 190-gall. 32/6, 400-gall. 72/6 to 75/, 200-gall. 35/.
Lead: Sheet, £20/5/ a ton in full rolls, 21/3 per cwt in cut rolls; pig lead, £17 a ton; lead pipes, in coils, 25/ per cwt; length pipes, in 10ft lengths, 27/ per cwt.
Netting: Australian rabbit-proof, size 42 x 1½ x 17, A, £37/7/6; 42 x 1½ x 17, B, £34/17/6; 42 x 1½ x 17, A, £29; 42 x 1½ x 18, B, £26/15/; 42 x 1½ x 17, A, £32/12/6; 42 x 1½ x 17, B, £29/12/6; 42 x 1½ x 18, A, £23/2/6; 42 x 1½ x 18, B, £22/2/6; 36 x 1½ x 17, A, £22/15/; 36 x 1½ x 17, B, £30/7/6; 36 x 1¼ x 18, A, £24/10/; 36 x 1½ x 18, B, £28/7/6; 36 x 1½ x 18, A, £28/10/; 36 x 1½ x 17, B, £26; 36 x 1½ x 18, A, £20/10/; 36 x 1½ x 18, B, £19/10/. Imported: 42 x 1½ x 17, A, 32cwt, £36/10/; 42 x 1½ x 17, A, Whitecross, to arrive, 32cwt, £36; 42 x 1½ x 17, B, to arr., 28½cwt, £32/10/; 42 x 1½ x 17, A, to arr., 28cwt £31/10/; 42 x 1½ x 17, B, Whitecross, to arr., 25cwt, £26/10/; 42 x 1½ x 18, B, to arr., 18½cwt, £21; 36 x 1½ x 17, B, W.U., 25cwt, £26/10/; 36 x 1½ x 18, B, W.U., 18½cwt, £22; 36 x 1½ x 17, B, W.U., 21½cwt, £22/10/; 36 x 1½ x 17, B, J.C.M., 21½cwt, £22/10/; 36 x 1½ x 18, B, Summit, 16cwt, £17.
Plaster: King's Windsor, spot, 16/6 to 17/6.
Perforated zinc: 2/10 parcels, 3/ distributing.
Piping and fittings: English made, black, 71½ off list, galvanised 62½, steam 61½.
Quicksilver: 2/10½ per lb.
Rabbit traps: Griffith's, tanks, 9/6, open 9/9; jump traps, 9/.
Scythe blades: R.Y., 36in, 34/ per doz.
Tin: Ingots, 2/2 per lb.
Tin sheets: 6ft x 3ft, 40/ per cwt.
Tinplate: IC coke, 20 x 14, 17/, parcels; 20 x 28, coke, 27/ parcels.
Wire nails: According to revised list, net for one to nineteen case lots; 2½ per cent. off for 20-case lots and over; broken stock, 1/ per cwt extra.
Zinc sheets: £27/10/ a ton in 5cwt casks, for parcels.

The amount of wool manifested to arrive at Darling Harbour yesterday totalled 256 bales.

LONDON MARKET CABLES.

THE WHEAT POSITION.

GRAIN AFLOAT.

LONDON, April 15, 7.45 a.m.

Shipments of grain afloat on April 12, a week previously, and a year previously were:—

	April 12. Qrs.	April 5. Qrs.	April 14, 1911. Qrs.
United Kingdom	4,200,000	4,375,000	3,955,000
Continent	2,420,000	2,260,000	3,210,000
Totals	6,620,000	6,635,000	7,165,000

AMERICAN SHIPMENTS.

The wheat shipped from the Atlantic Coast and Pacific Coast of North American during the past week, the previous week, and the corresponding week of last year is estimated by "Bradstreet's" to be:—

	April 12. Qrs.	April 5. Qrs.	April 14, 1911. Qrs.
Atlantic Coast	150,000	273,000	102,000
Pacific Coast	Nil	Nil	15,000
Totals	150,000	273,000	117,000

EXPORTED TO EUROPE.

The quantity of wheat and flour shipped to Europe during the past week, the previous week, and the corresponding week of last year, from the countries enumerated, and the total, including shipments from North America and other countries, were:—

	April 12. Qrs.	April 5. Qrs.	April 14, 1911. Qrs.
Argentine Uruguay	285,000	414,000	255,000
Russia	195,000	150,000	230,000
Danubian States	240,000	220,000	110,000
India and Persia	58,000	80,000	65,000
Australasia	102,000	210,000	130,000
Total to Europe	1,170,000	1,575,000	1,100,000

Total shipments to Europe from all exporting countries from August 1 to April 12 for the present season and the previous three seasons are:—

	Quarters.
1911-12	29,905,000
1910-11	34,115,000
1909-10	47,455,000
1908-09	40,275,000

SILVER.

Bar silver was quoted to-day at 26 7-8d per ounce standard, a fall of 1-8d.

METALS.

LONDON, April 16, 4.15 a.m.

Closing quotations were:—

Copper, spot, b £70/2/6, s £70/7/6 per ton (7/6 lower); 3 months, b £71, s £71/5/ per ton (7/6 lower).

Tin, spot, b £197/15/, s £198/5/ per ton (5/ up); 3 months, b £194/5/, s £194/15/ per ton (5/ up).

WHEAT CARGOES SOLD.

The following wheat shipments have been sold:—

Potomac, s, from Melbourne, February 7, 63,586 bags, at 40/ per quarter of 480lb c.i.f. (previous sale March 20 at 38/ per quarter).

Invergarry, bq, Port Pirie December 21, at 39/9 per quarter of 480lb c.i.f. (previous sale April 10, at 39/ per quarter).

Jethau, s, Sydney February 14, 76,203 bags, at 39/9 per quarter of 480lb c.i.f.

Port Chalmers, s, Sydney March 19, 75,929 bags, at 39/6 per quarter of 480lb c.i.f.

Westgate, sh, Sydney April 2, 35,616 bags; and Inveravon, sh, Wallaroo, March 31, 37,174 bags, at 39/3 per quarter of 480lb c.i.f.

LONDON WOOL SALES.

Australian Mercantile Land and Finance Company, Ltd., is in receipt of the following cable from Messrs. Helmuth, Schwartze, London, dated 15th inst:—"Sales continue very animated. Opening rates are fully maintained."

INTERSTATE MARKETS.

MELBOURNE, Tuesday.

Wheat was firmer, with fair business at 4/3. Flour advanced 5/, to £9. Pollard sold at £6/15/. Barley seed sold to 7/, malting 6/ to 6/4, Cape 4/10 to 5/1. Oats were strong. Algerian, seed, sold at 3/6 to 3/9; milling, 3/5 to 3/5½; feed, 3/3 to 3/4; white oats, 3/3 to 3/6. Fair business was done in New Zealand oats to arrive. Maize sold at 4/4; peas, 4/ to 4/2. Chaff was firmer at 85/ to 100/. Hay sold to 120/. Straw was firmer. Victorian sold at 30/ to 42/6; Tasmanian, 57/6 to 62/6. Potatoes were quiet and steady. Carmens sold at £7/15/ to £8/5/; Brownells and Excelsiors to £8; Pinkeyes, £7 to £7/5/. Onions had a strong market up to £11. Butter: Choicest sold at 1/4; other grades were dragging, owing to heavy supplies of Sydney and Brisbane butter.

About 130 packages Ceylon tea were sold, principally for export. Small business was done in Indians. Tinned fruits were firm, with strong demand, with buyers at 10/ for peaches. 2000 cases apricots were sold at 7/3. Branbags were about 6/3. Cornsacks sold at 5/8, and holders were inclined to ask higher rates, owing to the better inquiries. Good forward business was done in cement. Wire-netting continues scarce, and in strong demand.

BRISBANE, Tuesday.

Maize sold at 4/9½ to 4/10, wholesale trade delivery. It was very scarce at auction, in common with all other lines. Pumpkins, which were in heavy supply, sold at 2/6 to 3/1.

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

MELBOURNE, Tuesday.

In the live stock market to-day 22,600 fat sheep were yarded. In the early part of the market extra prime heavy wethers, which met with the additional competition of a couple of interstate buyers, met with keen request at fully last week's rates. The trade demand, however, became unsteady, and mainly owing to the exporters operating cautiously prices receded to about equal to those ruling a fortnight ago. The improvement of fully 1/ per head experienced in last week's market being in many instances entirely lost. A large proportion consisted of middling and inferior descriptions, and for such biddings were exceedingly dull at reduced rates. Quotations:—Prime crossbred wethers, from 17/6 to 20/, extra 21/ to 22/, few small pens at 24/6 and 25/; good crossbred wethers, from 15/ to 16/9, second 11/9 to 13/, few inferior from 10/6; prime crossbred ewes, from 14/ to 16/ (a few higher), good 11/ to 12/9, second and inferior from 6/; prime merino wethers, 15/6 to 17/9, extra at 20/, good 13/ to 14/6, seconds 8/6 to 10/, inferior and small from 6/; with merino ewes from 5/ to 10/6, inferior and old at low figures.

Fat Lambs.—14,000 were penned. The market was a reflex of that for sheep, and as sales progressed prices ruled about 1/ per head under last week's advanced rates. Quotations:—Prime, 11/6 to 13/, extra 13/6 to 16/, good 9/3 to 11/, seconds 7/ to 8/6, inferior and small 4/ to 5/6.

PRODUCE.

DAIRY.

ANOTHER MOVE IN EGGS.

There was again an excellent demand for eggs in Sussex-street yesterday morning. All descriptions were inquired for, from the lowest grade northern rivers to the choicest new-laid suburban. Railways were worth from 1/7 to 1/8, with a few choice lots 1/9, and northern rivers at from 1/5 to 1/6, with an occasional consignment 1/7. High prices were asked for new-laid, the primest samples commanding 2/3. Other qualities were to be had at 2/2. Some investigation into the question of the preservation of eggs has lately been made by Professor Oscar Riddle, of the University of Chicago, which may have a lasting effect upon the future of the industry. He has been dosing the fowls which lay the eggs with a view to finding whether they can be induced to produce a commercial article able to resist the effects of age. With the co-operation of some obliging poultrymen, he selected a number of good egg-laying hens, he divided into lots of five, and administered to them regular doses of urotropin, or sodium benzoate or sodium salicylate. The hens were otherwise normally fed, and remained under treatment from eight to ten days. During that time they received two-fifths of a gramme of the chemical twice a day, or four-fifths of a gramme every 24 hours. The results were most gratifying, though they were most successful in the case of the hens dosed with urotropin. The chemical so far affected the birds' vital processes that the eggs they laid proved to be far more resistant to the ravages of time and the decomposing effects of temperature than the eggs laid by the "control" hens in the same period. The eggs were first tested between August 20 and September 17, according to the date of laying. The eggs of the dosed hens were in every case more palatable. Another lot were tested between October 12 and November 10, and they confirmed the first results. The dosed eggs could be eaten on November 10. It could not be said, observed Professor Riddle, however, that the dosed eggs would ever be mistaken for really fresh eggs. The urotropin had evidently eaten into their souls. There was something noticeably unusual about the texture and constitution of the white of the egg. Nevertheless, there are possibilities in the method, and the life of the "cooking" egg may be notably prolonged.

Cheese was exceedingly firm, although some agents appeared to be chafing under the enforced advance. They said nothing, however, but simply booked their orders at from /8½ to /9. From one end of "the street" to the other these prices could not be improved upon. The Kameruka brand was quoted at /10 a lb, a rise of /1.

Advices were received from Melbourne intimating that the quotation for butter had been advanced another /1 per lb, thus making the value 1/4 per lb, or 149/4 per cwt. The Melbourne value is now 29/4 per cwt. above Sydney, and as this is a very considerable difference it would not be surprising if the local rate was to move upward in sympathy on Thursday.

There was a steady inquiry for bacon at the published values. Best factory sides brought from /7½ to /7¾, and special brands /8½ per lb. Middles realised anything from /8½ to /10 per lb. Hams were also sought after. Single cloth moved out at from /11 to 1/, and seeds and double covers at from 1/ to 1/1½ per lb.

Current quotations were:—

DAIRY PRODUCE.

Bacon.—Best factory sides, prime /7½ to /7¾, special brands /8½, heavy sides /6½ to /7½, flitches, medium /7½ to /7¾, special brands /8, heavy and fat /5, middles /8½ to /9, special brands /10, shoulders /5, special brands /5½, bacon hams /9½ to /10.

Butter.—New South Wales selected grocers' brands 120/, second quality 104/ to 108/ per cwt.

Cheese.—Prime loaf, /8½ to /9, good /7½ to /8½, rough from /6½ to /7½, special brands /9 to /9½ per lb.

Eggs.—Suburban new-laid, 2/2 to 2/3; railway, 1/7 to 1/8; choice 1/9; Northern rivers, 1/6 to 1/7, duck eggs, 1/8; cold stores, 1/4 to 1/5.

Hams.—Single cloth, /11 to 1/, special brands 1/0½, double cloth, 1/ to 1/0½, special brands 1/1½ per lb.

Honey.—60lb tins of choice western, /2½ to /3, good /2, dark and candied /1½; Hunter River, /2½, Northern rivers, /2½ per lb.

Lard.—Bulk, /5 to /5½; pats, /6, special brands, bulk, /6, pats /6½ per lb.

POULTRY.

Railway and River Consignments.—Old hens, extra choice 3/, good 2/6 to 2/9; roosters, extra choice 4/, good 3/ to 3/6, small 2/6 to 2/9; chickens, large 2/, small 1/ to 1/6; mixed coops, 2/6 to 2/9; English ducks 1/6 to 1/9, choice 2/6; Muscovy, choice 3/6, medium 2/6 to 3/; drakes, 3/6 to 4/, choice 5/; geese, 4/ to 4/6; guineafowls, 4/6 to 5/; turkeys, gobblers, nominal, 15/ to 17/6, good 10/ to 12/, medium 7/ to 8/; hens, choice 8/, good 6/ to 7/; pigeons, 1/6 to 1/9 per pair.

Messrs. Mossman and Ellis report having obtained the following prices at their auction sale yesterday:—Eggs: Case, to 1/7; new-laid hen, 2/ to 2/1; choice graded to 2/3; duck, to 2/ per dozen. Fowls: Young roosters, 3/ to 4/6, choice suburban to 6/, small from 1/9; fat hens, 2/9 to 3/0, choice suburban to 5/. Ducks: English, 2/6 to 3/, no choice to hand; Muscovy, 3/ to 3/9, choice suburban to 4/6; drakes, Muscovy, 5/ to 6/, choice suburban to 7/. Turkeys: None to hand. Geese, to 5/6 per pair. Pigeons, to 2/ per pair. The high prices ruling for eggs caused buyers to be very cautious, only a few choice graded reaching top figure. Poultry was in good demand at above quotations, good quality birds being in special request.

FORAGE AND GRAIN.

STRONG POSITION OF ONIONS.

A telegram was received in Sussex-street yesterday morning from Melbourne intimating that the market there for onions was practically bare, and that values were nominally £11 to £11/10/ f.o.b. Growers were refusing to sell. It was little wonder, therefore, that local holders were firm, and refused to part with their stocks under £13 per ton. The Period and Era arrived from Victorian ports, and landed a quantity of 5000 bags—2000 bags for the local market, and 3000 bags for export to Vancouver. The same two steamers also put out about 500 bags of pickling onions, and these moved out briskly at £7.

It was stated that the 11,000 bags of Tasmanion potatoes which came forward on Monday had all been cleared out. The scarcity was, however, relieved by the arrival of 3600 bags from Victoria, which included a consignment of the first of the new season's Camperdown redskins. They were of a good size, and brought to £10 per ton. Carmen were offering at £9/10/, and pinkeyes at £8/10/.

Upwards of 1000 bags of old season's maize came to hand from Melbourne. Sales were reported covering 213 bags, at rates averaging 5/ per bushel. Nearly all the grain which was received from the rivers on Monday was disposed of.

Chaff sold well. Between 3000 and 5000 bags were discharged from the Era and Period. Victorian wheaten was booked at £6, and oaten at £5/10/ per ton.

At the firewood sales 30 truckloads were submitted. Prices remained unaltered.

Current quotations were:—

FORAGE.

Chaff.—Victorian: Wheaten, £5/10/ to £6; oaten, £5/5/ to £5/10/. Adelaide: Wheaten, £5/15/ to £6. Tasmanian: £5 to £5/5/ per ton.

Lucerne Hay.—Hunter River, prime dry green 60/ to 65/; brown sweated 60/, medium 40/ to 50/ per ton.

Derrick Straw.—Tasmanian: Oaten and wheaten, £3. Victorian: £2/15/ per ton.

Oaten Hay.—£5/10/ to £6 per ton.

GRAIN AND BY-PRODUCTS.

Barley.—Victorian: Cape for feed or seed, 5/; English malting, 5/ to 5/6; feed 4/ to 4/6; values almost nominal.

Broom Millet.—Prime long hurl, £26/10/ to £27; short and self-working, £23; discoloured and cracked from £17 per ton.

Maize.—Victorian: Prime old dry yellow, nominally to 5/; inland, 4/11; Northern rivers, prime new 4/10, medium 4/5 to 4/6, soft 4/ to 4/4, prime dry white 4/8 per bushel.

Oats.—Tasmanian: White Sparrowbills, 3/2 to 3/3, Giants, prime 3/3 to 3/4; Algerian, milling 3/5 to 3/6, seed 3/6 to 3/8; best feed, 3/4 to 3/6; Tartarian, 3/6 to 3/7; New Zealand Algerians, 3/8; white Gartons and duns, 3/4 to 3/6 per bushel.

Peas.—Tasmanian: Blue, choice 7/9, second 5/2 to 5/6, grey, prime thrashed 4/3 to 4/6, medium 3/6 to 4/ per bushel.

Bran.—Association price, £6 per ton.

Pollard.—Association price, £6/10/ per ton.

VEGETABLES.

Potatoes.—Tasmanian: Redskins, £10/10/. Victorian: Choicest £10; Carmens, £9/10/; Pinkeyes, £8/10/ per ton.

Onions.—Victorian: £12 to £13; pickling, £6/10/ per ton.

Turnips.—£3 per ton.

FIREWOOD.

Best box, 18/6, good 17/ to 18/; stringy, 13/ to 16/6; ironbark, 13/ to 15/; best bakers', 16/, good 15/.

RAILWAY MARKETS.

PRIME WHEATEN CHAFF, 6/9.

The scarcity of chaff, hay and grain was apparent yesterday morning, when, at the railway produce markets higher prices were obtained. Many of the merchants were gloomy when they saw the auctioneer selling prime wheaten chaff at 6/9. They knew that their customers would grumble about paying the extraordinary high prices, and that they (the merchants) could make but little profit at the present time. One of the merchants, who generally purchases a large quantity of chaff each day, said that the prices ruling were higher than at the drought time. He did not intend buying at the present values. Prime wheaten chaff realised from 6/7 to 6/9, and good from 6/ to 6/5 per cwt. Oaten chaff of prime quality met with a good sale at 6/, whilst good consignments were disposed of at from 5/3 to 5/6. Good rye straw was sold at 3/ per cwt.

Good lucerne hay from West Maitland and Brewongle was sold at 5/6 per cwt.

Three trucks of wheat were in the market, but none was offered. The qualities were good. Merchants were doubtful whether they would be able to purchase any at auction, and endeavoured to buy privately. The advanced price of 4/4 per bushel was readily obtained for the whole of the consignments.

Trucks of produce placed in position for sale totalled 41, and consisted of: Chaff 26, hay 4, straw 1, wheat 3, and potatoes 7.

The manifest included: Chaff 28, straw 1, hay 3, wheat 3, barley 1, and potatoes 12.

Sales effected were:—

Wheaten Chaff.—Ex Tootool, (17229) 7/3; ex Gearie, (17313) 6/; Lucas, Coolamon, (5006) 6/5; Griffith, Brushwood, (1034) 6/7; ex Millthorpe, (2771) 6/9, (831) 6/9; Southwell, Greenethorpe, (549) 4/8; Lucas, Coolamon, (4518) 6/5; ex Dubbo, (15517) 6/; Kleing, Temora, (718) 6/3; ex Gearie, (11666) 6/4 per cwt.

Oaten Chaff.—From Ex Mogongong (16029) 5/3; May, Mandurama, (14376) 5/4; Kirkman, Woodstock, (17373) 5/3; Price, Brushwood, (8428) 6/; Sweeney, Greenethorpe, (1913) 5/6 per cwt.

Rye Straw.—Form Miskeol, Millthorpe, (1577) 3/ per cwt.

Lucerne Hay.—From Vickery, West Maitland, (3075) 5/6. West, Brewongle, (8787) 5/6 per wt.

FRUIT MARKETS.

A steady demand prevailed at the fruit markets yesterday for nearly all lines of fruit. Values were maintained.

Current quotations were:—

Bananas.—Fiji, 18/6 to 20/ per case, 4/ to 12/ per bunch, choice loose 8/9 to 9/6 per case. Queensland: 11/ to 12/6 per case, 1/ to 6/ per bunch.

Apples.—Local, dessert, extra choice 10/ to 12/, choice 8/ to 9/, medium 5/ to 6/, small 3/6 to 4/, jam 3/ per gin-case; Jonathans, choice 8/ to 9/, medium 6/ to 7/, small 5/ per bushel-case; cooking, choice 5/6 to 6/, medium 3/6 to 4/, jam 3/ per gin-case. Tasmanian: Ribstone, 5/ to 6/; Alexanders, extra choice, coloured 7/ to 7/6, good 4/ to 5/; Lady Snows, choice 8/, medium 6/ to 7/; A.P.M.'s, choice 7/6, good 6/, inferior 5/; S.P.M.'s, 8/; F.C.'s, 6/ to 7/; A.L.F.'s, 5/ to 6/; others 5/ to 6/6 per bushel-case. Victorian: Jonathans, choice 8/, medium 7/ per bushel-case.

Cocoanuts.—Best 12/ to 13/ per bag, 2/6 to 4/ per dozen.

Ginger.—Preserved, 6/6 to 7/6 per 10lb box, green, /7 per lb.

Lemons.—Local: Choice 14/ to 15/, medium 10/ to 11/, small 8/ to 9/ per gin-case; Italian, 18/ per half-case.

Plums.—Dark and light, choice 4/ to 4/6, medium 3/ to 3/6, small 2/6 per half-case; Tasmanian, choice 4/6 per half-case.

Cucumbers.—Local: 3/6 to 4/6 per bushel-case.

Persimmons.—Good 3/ to 3/6, small 1/6 per half-case.

Quinces.—Choice 6/, medium 4/ to 4/6 per gin-case.

Watermelons.—Large 6/ to 7/, medium 4/6 to 5/6, small 2/6 to 3/ per dozen.

Tomatoes.—Choice coloured 3/ to 3/6, medium 2/6, small 1/6, green 1/6 to 2/6 per half-case.

Pomegranates.—Choice 6/ to 7/, medium 4/ to 5/ per gin-case.

Peaches.—Victorian: Choice 10/ to 12/, medium 8/ per bushel-case.

Passionfruit.—Choice 5/6 to 6/, medium 3/ to 5/6, small 1/6 to 2/ per half-case.

Pears.—Local: Dessert, choice 10/ to 12/, medium 8/ to 9/, small 5/ to 6/; cooking, choice 5/ to 5/6, medium 2/6 to 3/ per gin-case. Victorian: Williams', choice 10/ to 11/; B. de C.'s, choice 10/ to 11/, medium 8/ to 9/; Ganseli's choice 11/ to 12/, medium 10/ to 11/; Golden Beurre, choice 8/ to 9/, medium 6/6 to 7/6, small 5/ to 6/ per bushel-case. Tasmanian, B. de C.'s, choice 6/, good 5/6; B.B., 5/ to 6/; Gansell's 6/ to 6/6; Winter C., 5/6 to 6/6; B.C.'s, 4/6; O.B.'s, 5/6; N.P.'s, 3/ per quarter-case.

Grapes.—Local: White 5/ to 6/, medium 3/6 to 4/; Muscatels, black 8/ to 9/, medium 6/ to 7/, small 4/6 to 5/6, white, choice 8/ to 9/, medium 6/ to 7/, small 4/ to 5/.

Pineapples.—Ripleys, commons, and Queens, 9/ to 10/.

MELBOURNE.

MELBOURNE, Tuesday.

In the Queen Victoria Market to-day fruit sold as follows:—Almonds, /6 to /9 per lb; apples, 3/ to 7/ per case; grapes, 10/ to 12/ ditto; watermelons, 4/ to 9/ per dozen; rock, 3/ to 8/ ditto; preserving, 3/ to 6/ ditto; pears, dessert 5/ to 10/ ditto; walnuts, /6 to /9 per lb; quinces, 2/6 to 4/ per case.

PRODUCE INWARDS.

The following is a return of produce received at Sydney, Clyde, Homebush, Burwood, Ashfield, Petersham, and Newtown, as per rail, for the week ended yesterday, together with the total to date for the year, and for the corresponding period of last year:—

	Week ended Tuesday.	Total to date. 1912.	Total to date. 1911.
Butter, kegs	14	398	81
Butter, cases	6,317	83,144	104,231
Cheese, cases	318	5,095	..
Eggs, cases	570	10,475	5,543
Bacon, bags	3	116	63
Bacon, sides	275	3,593	1,804
Hay, trucks	29	635	854
Straw, trucks	7	85	120
Chaff, trucks	210	4,736	3,584
Oats, tons	—	611	1,907
Barley, tons	5	68	132
Maize, tons	69	2,483	5,336
Meal, tons	15	108	22
Potatoes, tons	306	2,324	5,272
Bran, tons	170	1,717	1,447
Pollard, tons	158	1,687	1,475

STOCK TRUCKS.

The following truckings have been ordered for the forthcoming sales:—April 18, 304 sheep vans and 237 cattle waggons; and for April 22, 339 sheep vans and 232 cattle waggons.

RIFLE SHOOTING.

BROKEN HILL, Tuesday.

Broken Hill West Club on Saturday fired a handicap match at 300 and 600 yards. The chief scorers were: Birdsey (handicap 3), 66; Pye (8), 66; M'Grath (4), 65; Andrews (7), 65; Noble (scr), 64.

The Y.M.C.A. Club fired a handicap match at 500 yards, two shoots, seven shots each. The chief scorers were:—Scharnberg (handicap 11), 66; Crawford (2), 64; Waterhouse (2), 64; Counsell (8), 64.

The Broken Hill Club fired a handicap match at 500 and 600 yards, the leading scores being: Creagh (handicap 1), 65; Opie (1), 65; Carlisle (10), 65; M'Bride (6), 65; Lietrich (scr), 64; Travers (scr), 64. The contest was very close, four men having to shoot off, and Creagh won.

SHELLHARBOUR, Tuesday.

The monthly shooting of the rifle club took place on Saturday, the conditions being 10 shots at 500yds. The following were the prizewinners:—G. Burrill (6), 49; W. Hazleton (9), 49; First-class Constable Foster (12), 48; C. East (5), 47; J. Toohey (11), 47.

AUCTION SALES TO-DAY.

HOUSES AND LAND.

HARDIE and GORMAN.—At the Rooms, at 11.30, City and Suburban Properties.
J. T. JONES.—On the Ground, Victoria-street, Botany, at 3, Land.

FURNITURE AND MERCHANDISE.

J. R. LAWSON and LITTLE.—At Glencairn, Carrington-road, Coogee, at 11, Piano, Furniture, etc.
F. R. STRANGE.—At E. Rich and Co.'s bond, Circular Quay, at 3, Cigars.
STRONGMAN, BRUNTNELL, and CO.—At 3 Marion-street, Haberfield, at 11, Furniture, etc.
A. G. JENKINS.—At Pitt-street, near King-street, at 10, Office Furniture, etc.; at the Rooms, at 11, Carriage Lamps, Buggy Shafts, Hoods, and Watches, Jewellery, etc.
J. P. LISTER.—At the Rooms, at 11, Clothing, Blankets, etc.; at 3, Sundries.

FARM AND DAIRY PRODUCE.

W. INGLIS and SON.—At Pile-street, Arncliffe, 2.30, Dairy Plant, etc.

HORSES, VEHICLES, AND HARNESS.

W. INGLIS and SON.—At their Bazaar, at 10.30, 11, and 12, Horses, Vehicles, and Harness; at Camperdown Yards, at 2, Horses.

MISCELLANEOUS.

G. M. PUGH.—At Queen-street, off Regent-street, 11, Building Materials.

Fire in Pitt-street.—Messrs. Muir and Neil write:—"Several of our friends having gathered from your report of the fire at the Queensland Insurance Company's building that we had suffered considerable loss to our property, situated in the base of building, we should like, with your permission, to assure them that the fire occurred outside our offices, and the only damage we sustained was that due to the inevitable water and smoke."

EMPLOYEES' WAGES.

IMPORTANT JUDGMENT.

ALBURY, Tuesday.

An important decision under the Industrial Disputes Act was given to-day.

On April 2 R. Waugh and Lawrence Buckley, butchers, were charged by an inspector under the Industrial Disputes Act with failing to pay their employee, Arthur William Oliver, £3 5s per week, the wage stipulated for beef carters under the award. The evidence showed that Oliver assisted his father at the defendant's slaughter yards, and part of his duty consisted in delivering meat at the shops of defendants.

The latter said they did not recognise Oliver as their employee, that his work was of a voluntary nature towards his father, who was employed by them as a slaughterman. Oliver, sen., was paid a special wage of £4 per week, being considerably in excess of the award rate, on condition that he would not require defendants to provide him with any assistance, so that if the boy helped his father that was not their business.

The case was adjourned until to-day, when the police magistrate, Mr. Roberts, said the Industrial Disputes Act provided that an employee was a person "working in any industry." Therefore defendants were liable. Otherwise no end of collusion would be liable to arise amongst the very people for whose benefit the Act was passed. It would be a serious invasion of the purpose of the Act if he were to hold that the boy was not an employee within the meaning of the Act. He fined each defendant 10s, with 15s costs.

"SHAKESPEARE AS AN ADAPTER."

LECTURE BY MR. W. E. HAWKINS.

"Shakespeare as an Adapter" was the title of an address given before members of the Shakespeare Society of New South Wales by the president, Mr. W. E. Hawkins, at the monthly meeting of the society, in King's Hall, Phillip-street, last night. Mr. H. C. L. Anderson was in the chair.

"One of the essentials of a proper appreciation of Shakespeare's plays," said Mr. Hawkins, "is to study the sources. We may take up one of the great plays, and after reading it remain spellbound in wonder, but our wonder will be deepened as we learn from what a small suggestion the thing grew. The true test of literary genius is the manner in which material can be handled. Literature teems with instances of dead and forgotten stories being given a fresh lease of life owing to their being revived and clothed in fresh garments by a later story-teller, who had the genius to comprehend what could be done with them. Literary explorers had discovered valleys of dry bones, and breathing into them the breath of life have sent them on their way to be instructors and entertainers of men."

Such a literary explorer was Shakespeare. One of the best illustrations of the subject, said the lecturer, was "Hamlet;" and if the sources had been studied by all critics "what a lot of twaddle on the subject of Hamlet's supposed madness might have been avoided." In the original story Hamlet pretended madness. It was a commonplace story, but it was transformed by Shakespeare into one of the greatest tragedies in all literature. So, too, was "Macbeth." Shakespeare found the story in Holinshed's Chronicles of Scotland, published in 1577. It was difficult to believe that Shakespeare was a playwright pure and simple, who had no thought but to write plays calculated to please his audience. That his audience was pleased spoke well for the intellectuality of the Elizabethan theatre-goer.

"It may be," said Mr. Hawkins in conclusion, "that Shakespeare harnessed his genius to business, and that his poesy was 'as a gum which oozed from whence 'twas nourished,' but the operation was not quite so mechanical. Rather would one say, here was a man who could probe life to its depths, who, while writing for an audience, would not miss the opportunity of impressing upon his age the views he held upon life."

An interesting discussion followed, Mr. Henry Gullett, M.L.C., Professor MacCallum, Mr. D. Levy, M.L.A., and others taking part.

RAILWAY ACCIDENT.

MELBOURNE, Tuesday.

An accident, causing considerable delay to passenger traffic and damage to rolling stock, occurred at Creswick yesterday. On the 1.10 p.m. train from Ballarat entering Creswick railway station the engine and an empty truck passed over the points. The balance of the train travelled on another set of rails. The empty truck was dragged along the permanent way by the engine for fully 60 yards before being brought to a standstill. Fortunately the passenger cars were at the rear of the train, the occupants receiving only a slight shock.

VICTORIAN BRICKWORKS.

MELBOURNE, Tuesday.

An agreement has been entered into by the Glen Iris Brick and Tile Company for a long lease of portion of the land at Thornbury, which was acquired by the Bent Government for brickmaking purposes. The company will pay a rental of £150 a year, and supply the brick requirements of the Government for seven years at 31s per thousand, or 7s a thousand less than the ruling rate.

PUBLIC SERVICE APPEAL COURT.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—I do not intend entering into a newspaper controversy on this matter, but in view of the wide publicity that has been given to my remarks at the late Public Service Conference, I take this opportunity of re-stating my arguments against the constitution of an Appeal Court as suggested, or as recommended by the conference. In the first place it must be remembered that the question before the conference was not primarily one of relative salaries of the Public servants and outsiders, but in opposing the motion: "That this conference urge upon the Government the necessity for an independent Appeal Court, consisting of a Supreme or District Court Judge, each with two assessors, such assessors to be appointed, one by the Government, and one by the members of this association"—I contended that such a course was not in the interests of 95 per cent. of the service. It must be borne in mind that only 2½ per cent. of the Public servants are in receipt of the salary of £420 and over, and it is safe to assume that not more than 5 per cent. are in receipt of £250 and over. Therefore, when that fact is borne in mind, it must be patent that, if 95 per cent. of the servants are to be brought into open competition with the comparatively lower average remuneration paid in business and commercial enterprises, it is not in the best interests of that portion of the service to invite publicity, and the comparison with the underpaid that must inevitably follow. In respect to the 5 per cent. of the service, I am of opinion that some extension of the present Appeal Court is necessary, because, were those officers engaged in commercial and business pursuits outside the service, and carrying corresponding responsibilities and duties, their remunerations would be perhaps twice the amount they are in receipt of in the Government service. Therefore, while an independent Appeal Court may be in the interests of the officers who administer the machinery of the State services, I still contend and urge that it would not be in the interests of the whole service to ask for the extension of that principle to cover the remaining 95 per cent.

It has been stated that I have represented that 95 per cent. of the service is overpaid. No such construction can be read from my remarks. I have always urged that the State as an employer should set the example to private employers, and necessarily the scale of remuneration for Public servants should be higher than those pertaining outside the service, because of the limitations which are placed upon Public servants by the nature of their occupation and office.

With regard to the salaries of professional officers, the opportunity of comparison is somewhat limited, owing to the fact that the State has the practical control of all enterprises that call for the employment and exercise of technical and professional knowledge.

In conclusion, I would like to say that if my views are not compatable with those of the rest of the service, or particularly with those of the Public Works Department, whom I have represented, or misrepresented on the council of the Public Service Association, it entirely rests with them next August, as members of the P.S. Association, to nominate and elect a representative whose views on these matters more closely coincide with their own. My whole aim as a member of the council has been directed towards obtaining conditions which are for the best interests of the service, and because my views on the Appeal Court do not happen to harmonise, evidently, with the majority of the Public servants, it is a matter upon which perhaps we can agree to differ, and discuss in a reasonable and calm way, having always in view the best interests of the Public Service of New South Wales as a whole.

I am, etc.,

April 16. J. S. ROBYNS.

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LATE SPORTING.

THE TURF.

Ascot will this afternoon be the rendezvous for lovers of pony and galloway racing, and the bill of fare provided for the occasion can hardly fail to attract a large attendance. Large entries have been received, and in some instances it will be necessary to run the races in divisions. The track is splendid going, and, with a large number of good performers engaged, excellent sport should result. The customary means of transit will be in vogue, special trams landing visitors at the racecourse gates, while the ordinary traffic to Botany will also be available. The first race is timed to start at 1.30 p.m., and the results of the racing may be anticipated as under:—Fourteen-one Handicap: Smithtown, Adnams, Speedy Meg. Flying Handicap: Moila, Simcola, O.T. Novice Handicap: First division, Pam or Hammond; second division, Settle or Sir Allan. Fourteen Hands Handicap: First division, Miss Dale or Joy; second division, Asphodel or Hindoo Maid. Ascot Handicap: Alberta, Carnation, Bessie Brown. Fourteen-two Handicap: Dominion, Real Silk, County Clare. Approved Stakes: Flavite, Spy Glass, Urania.

The scratchings recorded yesterday in connection with City Tattersall's Club autumn meeting were Golden Hop and Burow out of the Youthful Stakes, and Malt King and Wise Lass out of City Tattersall's Cup.

The Fortunatus (imp.)—May Moon colt included in the Hobartville draft of thoroughbred yearlings, and who left the sale ring unsold when bidding ceased at 270 guineas, has been sold by Messrs. Inglis and Son to Mr. J. H. Andrews for 300 guineas; and the colt by Fortunatus (imp.) from Oran, from the same stud, passed in at 140 guineas, has been purchased by Mr. S. Bedford for 200 guineas. The brown colt (full brother to Artful and Bronze King), by Prudent King (imp.) from Bronzewing, bred at the Duninald stud by Mr. Sydney Reynolds, has, through the same agency, been purchased for 280 guineas by Mr. A. H. Whittingham, Queensland.

Forfeit for City Tattersall's Cup falls due at 4 p.m. to-morrow, and all horses remaining in after that hour incur the full liability for the stake.

Some useful work was done on the middle grass track at Randwick yesterday morning, though a heavy fog prevented the posts being seen for some time. Call Boy ran a mile on the middle grass track in 1m 48¾s. Woolerina went nicely over six furlongs, and Bright Laddie defeated Havecorn at the finish of seven furlongs, run in 1m 35s. Dorande beat Tartania over six furlongs in 1m 20s. Haze and Venusia ran a strong mile, and Woad led Cayenne at the end of six furlongs. Pakau ran a steady round, and Squires put in a useful mile and a quarter. Sunburnt ran six furlongs in fair style, and Hall Mark ran a mile and a quarter in 2m 22s. A strong round was run by Ensismar. Cronje beat Mandowa over seven furlongs in 1m 35s, and Menes went well over five furlongs. Crown Thistle ran a mile and a quarter in 2m 19s. Idyia, King Broomstick, Debutante, Malt King, Alured, Ireland, Ayreline, Saxonite, Kurnell, True Spec, King Flavus, Gold Clasp, and a number of others all put in useful tasks.

BATHURST TURF CLUB.

SHOW MEETING.

BATHURST, Tuesday.

The following entries have been received for the principal events in connection with the Bathurst show races on Saturday and Monday next:—

Opening Handicap.—Orsile, St. Antoine, Ayrbrook, Pine Park, Veronite, The Acolyte, Stitch-in-Time, Water Paint, Oweenee, Corallina.

Autumn Handicap.—Orsile, Gummer, Larras, King, E.U.G., The Acolyte, Stitch-in-Time, May Dance, Mount Terrell, Corallina, Koba.

Bathurst Handicap.—Orsile, E.U.G., The Acolyte, Stitch-in-Time, Malt Rose, May Dance, Mount Terrell, Corallina, Koba.

BARRABA PICNIC RACE CLUB.

BARRABA, Tuesday.

The following are the weights for the principal races on the first day of the Barraba Picnic Races:—

Tareela Stakes, 4f.—Mascine, 10st 12lb; Blaze, 10st 12lb; Hudan, 10st 11lb; Talisker, 10st 11lb; Aviation, 10st 11lb; Butcher Boy, 10st 11lb; Nita, 10st 7lb; Bathany, 10st 7lb.

The Bracelet, 6f.—Moeraki, 11st; Golden Days, 10st 9st; Bonnie Princess, 9st 10lb; Chesby, 9st 8lb; A.E., 9st 7lb.

Eulowrie Handicap, 4f.—Camdenette, 10st 12lb; Salient, 10st 11lb; Golden Syrup, 10st 11lb; Rellim, 10st 11lb; Cupid, 10st 11lb; Nita, 10st 7lb; Bethany, 10st 7lb.

MURRUMBIDGEE TURF CLUB.

CUP MEETING.

WAGGA, Tuesday.

The following nominations have been received for the principal events in connection with the club meeting on the 23rd and 24th inst.:—

Town Plate, 1m.—Romania, Lady Fife, Harbour, Truganini, Yuranigh's Daughter, Malpin, Melgar, Firestick, Shooting Gallery, Jack London, Musetta, Stitch-in-Time, Minea, Bran Jan, Irish Figure, Guisipina, Lady Frederick, Fitzmark, Cogden, Talarno, Collinyunyah, Loch Ames, Brilliantine.

Wagga Cup, 1¼m.—Truganini, Yuranigh's Daughter, Malpin, Firestick, Shooting Gallery, Jack London, Musetta, Stitch-in-Time, Minea, Irish Figure, Guisipina, Lady Frederick, Microscope, Fitzmark, Cogden, Tolarno, Fredecia, Collinyunyah, Romfucist, Splinterwood.

GOLF.

LADIES' GOLF UNION.

The L.G.U. coronation medal was played for on Monday, April 15, on the Bonnie Doon links. Results:—

Mrs. Wallis	97—19=78	Mrs. Lethbridge	104—14=90
Mrs. C. Clift	103—18=85	Miss Leslie	106—16=90
Mrs. M'Carthy	112—25=87	Miss Egan	107—17=90
Miss C. Trevor Jones	104—15=89	Miss Maclean	114—21=93
Miss Jenkins	111—22=89	Mrs. Ranken	115—20=95
Mrs. Aitken	99—9=90		

AUSTRALIAN GOLF CLUB.

Associate Members.

The first monthly medal match of the season will be played on Saturday, April 20.

CRICKET.

ST. ANDREW'S COLLEGE, PAST AND PRESENT.

The annual cricket match between the Past and Present Students of St. Andrew's College (University), is to be played at the University Oval this afternoon. To-night the Past Students will entertain the principal (Rev. Dr. Harper), the cricket team, and some of the senior students at dinner at the University Club.

WINGHAM, Tuesday.

A team of Morpeth cricketers, captained by Mr. G. Merrilles, played an Upper Manning team at Wingham on Monday. The visitors easily defeated the locals, the scores being:—Morpeth, 228; locals, 106. The visitors were entertained at a social at night.

FOOTBALL.

MANLY SURF CLUB.

Captain Holmes presided at the second annual meeting of the Manly Surf Football Club. There was a large attendance.

The annual report, which was adopted, stated that the past season had been very successful. The club played 12 matches, scoring 188 points against 65. Visits were made to seven schools, including Hawkesbury College, where the members had a hearty reception.

BOWLS.

PETERSHAM v NORTH SYDNEY.

Played at Petersham, and won by the home team by 22 points.

	P.	N.S.
Tate, Jensen, Priseman, Hilliard	21	—
Marshall, McVernon, Marr, Arthur	—	24
Mars, Scarlett, Dowse, Parker	24	—
Bellon, Dunster, Reay, Forsyth	—	17
Hudson, Gibb, Booth, Pratt	30	—
Hinds, Macadam, Thomson, Lawry	—	12
Totals	75	53

CYCLING AND MOTORING.

MANLY BICYCLE CLUB.

The Manly Club opened the season with a five miles handicap road race over the Brookvale-Narrabeen course. The race, which was witnessed by a large number of spectators, started and finished at the tram terminus, Brookvale. The contest was won by B. Collins (40s), who also secured fastest time, covering the distance in 14m 30s. The placed riders were:—B. Collins (40s), riding time 14m 30s, 1; A. James (1m 30s), riding time 15m 10s, 2; H. Heaton (40s), riding time 14m 50s, 3. B. Collins's time was also fastest for the race. H. Howlett secured the prize for the fastest time unplaced.

LAWN TENNIS.

THIRROUL v KOGARAH.

WOLLONGONG, Tuesday.

Thirroul and Kogarah Clubs met to-day. Following are the scores:—

Gibson and Langdon (Thirroul) v Preddy and Koenneitz (Kogarah), 6-5.
Gibson and Langdon v Preddy and Abbott, 6-4.
Gibson and Brice v Preddy and Koenneitz, 6-2.
Gibson and Brice v Abbott and Wyatt, 6-2.
Gibson and Hicks v Preddy and Wyatt, 3-6.
Gibson and Eagles v Abbott and Miss Molster, 6-7.
Gibson and Mrs. Langdon v Preddy and Miss Abbott, 5-6.
Mrs. Eagles and Mrs. Langdon b Misses Molster and Abbott, 1-6.
Mrs. Eagles and Langdon and Misses Molster and Abbott, 2-6.
Hicks and Brice v Abbott and Koenneitz, 6-2.
Hicks and Brice v Preddy and Wyatt, 6-4.
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Hicks and Mrs. Eagles v Abbott and Miss Molster, 6-4.
Langdon and Brice v Wyatt and Koenneitz, 5-6.
Brice and Mrs. Eagles v Watt and Miss Molster, 2-6.
Thirroul, 10 sets 78 games; Kogarah, 6 sets 70 games.

ATHLETICS.

HUNTER'S HILL HARRIERS.

The A.A.A. events included in the programme of the annual sports on Saturday next have been cancelled, owing to the small number of entries received. As there are no open events now set down for Saturday, any club may hold sprint or distance races on that day.

SOUTH SYDNEY HARRIERS.

The three miles club road race, held over from March 30, will be decided on Saturday from the club's head-

quarters, at Moore Park. The prizes are valued at £1 1s and 10s 6d, and post entries will be taken.

BOXING.

BRADLEY KNOCKS OUT RUDD.

Although he was giving away more than half a stone in weight, Pat Bradley, the American welter-weight, always had the better of Bill Rudd, the New Zealand middle-weight, in their contest at the Gaiety Athletic Club last night. Rudd, after being knocked down five times in the first round, was finally knocked out in the second round.

THOMAS v SKEEN.

BROKEN HILL, Tuesday.

J. Thomas (9st 12½lb) and J. Skeen (9st 10lb) boxed for a purse at the Central Theatre last night. Thomas won, knocking out Skeen in the eighth round.

SALE OF BLOOD STOCK.

MESSRS. H. CHISHOLM AND CO.

CADONIA SOLD FOR 850 GUINEAS.

WOAD BRINGS 600 GUINEAS.

Messrs. H. Chisholm and Co. held their autumn sale of blood stock at their stables, Randwick, yesterday, in the presence of a large gathering of persons interested in turf pursuits. Upwards of 100 lots were catalogued, but only 47 changed hands, for a total of 5017½ guineas. The top price realised was 850 guineas for the racehorse Cadonia, who was purchased by Mr. H. Nathan, of Sydney; Woad was secured by the Victorian sportsman, Mr. R. Powell, for 600 guineas; and Mr. H. S. Rich, of Sydney, got True Spec for 550 guineas. The Machine Gun gelding, Sir Hiram, fell to the nod of the Western Australian sportsman, Mr. P. J. Fox, for 215 guineas; and Mr. Theo. Cooper, of Inverell, gave 180 guineas for the two-year-old colt, Luxembourg, by Multiform from the Medallion mare Orinda. The lots sold are as under:—

STALLIONS.

On account of Mr. J. C. Williamson, Sydney.

	gns.
Blk h Danilo, by True Blue—Lady Robinson, by Robinson Crusoe, 5yrs—Mr. T. Waters	180
On account of Mr. C. S. McPhillamy, Warroo.	
B h Warroo (1905), by Positano (imp.)—Olga, by Trenton—Messrs. White and Sons	220
BROOD MARES.	
On account of Wollogorang Stud.	
Ch m Wee Lassie (1902), by Orzil (imp.)—Ickle Gurl, by Carbine—Messrs. A. R. and F. Bowman (Q'land)	75
Br m Nancy Stair (1904), by Soult (imp.)—Chidra, by Cuirassier—Mr. I. Earnshaw	70
Ch m (1899), by Cobbity—Lilian, by The Hook Mr. W. Pearce (Plashett)	80
B m Footles (1903), by Sir Foote (imp)—Pretence, by Martini-Henry—Mr. P. Bedford	110
Ch m Windfall (1897), by Ayr Laddie (imp.)—Windmill, by Goldsbrough—Mr. E. J. Craven (Q'land)	45
RACEHORSES AND UNTRIED STOCK.	
On account of owners.	
Br g, by Sir William—Tuscano, by Trenton, 4yrs—Mr. J. Byrne	51
On account of Mr. J. J. McGrath, Wattle Vale.	
B g, by Lord Delavel—Bergalara, by Ganmain, 3yrs—Mr. J. J. Donoghue	80
On account of Mr. M. Sawyer, Junior, Euiomo.	
Br f Freetime, by Free States—Madam, by Glenhuntly, 3yrs—Mr. Geo. Kiss	27½
Br g, by Haut Brion (imp.)—Golden Fringe, by Nordenfeldt, 2yrs—Mr. W. Delander	30
B g, by Ritchie (imp.)—Kindimindi, by Grafton (imp.), 2yrs—Mr. H. S. Maher	30
B f Miss Avington, by True Blue—Beatrice Avington, by Avington, 2yrs—Mr. W. McDonald	65
Br g Ceylon, by Havoc—Relish, by Haut Brion (imp.), 3yrs—Mr. C. T. Trautwein	95
On account of the Executors of late Mr. W. Lyons, Sydney.	
B f St. Margaret, by Soult (imp.)—St. Edith, by St. Leger (imp.), 3yrs—Messrs Rouse Bros. (Biraganbil)	145
On account of Executors of late Mr. J. Rutherford, Bathurst.	
Br c Metallum, by St. Ambrose (imp.)—Couronne, 2yrs—Mr. J. Stewart	25
On account of Mr. J. E. O'Brien, Randwick.	
Br c Humulus, by Maltster—Conundrum, by Martini-Henry, 3yrs—Mr. F. Marsden	765
On account of Mr. Thos. Longworth, Sydney.	
B g Port Stephens, by Haut Brion (imp.)—Novelette II., 3yrs—Mr. Geo. Rowe	110
On account of owner.	
B c Dunard, by Wallace—Bonnie Rosette (imp.), by Barcaldine, 2yrs—Mr. J. O. Peterson	223
On account of Mr. E. R. White, Merton.	
B g, by Flavus (imp.)—Busy Bee, by Gozo (imp.), 3yrs—Mr. H. Rayner	85
Blk g, by Dalmeny (imp.)—Black Dot, 4yrs—Mr. W. Warn	22½
B g, by Dalmeny (imp.)—Funnio, by Kingsley (imp.), 4yrs—Mr. Geo. Kiss	20
B g, by Dalmeny (imp.)—Molly Riley, by Clan Stuart, 3yrs—Mr. W. Delander	22½
On account of owner.	
Br g, by Herloch—Divine, by Manchester, 5yrs Mr. H. Walker	15
Blk g, by Herloch—Winsome, by Calma, 5yrs—R. Morton	20
Ch m, by Gnaroo—Climax mare, 5yrs—Mr. Geo. Kiss	27½
B m, by Moravian—Climax mare, 6yrs—Mr. R. Dillon	27½
Ch g, by Gnaroo—Climax mare, 5yrs—Mr. Geo. Kiss	27½
Ch g, by Gnaroo—Wallangah, 4yrs—Mr. Geo. Kiss	25
Ch g, by Gnaroo—Little Mary, 4yrs—Mr. S. Margett	15
Ch g, by Schoolboy—Climax mare, 3yrs—Mr. E. Green	22½
B g, by Gnaroo—Linwood mare, 4yrs—Mr. G. Kiss	20
Ch g, by Gnaroo—Nell, 4yrs—Mr. S. Margett	26
On account of Mr. R. W. Clancy, Sydney.	
B g, The Settling, by Fortunatus (imp.)—Spray, by Niagara, 5yrs—Mr. S. Bedford	80
Br g, Deep Blue, by True Blue—June, 4yrs—Mr. C. de Burgh, Persse (Q)	46
On account of Mr. J. C. Williamson, Sydney.	
Br c, Luxembourg, by Multiform—Orinda, by Medallion, 2yrs—Mr. Theo. Cooper (Inverell)	180
Br g, Sir Hiram, by Machine Gun—Maximise, by Havoc, 5yrs—Mr. P. J. Fox (W.A.)	215
Br h, Cadonia, by Prudent King (imp.)—Encoma, by Grafton, 4yrs—Mr. H. Nathan	850
Br h, True Spec, by True Blue—Specula, 4yrs —Mr. H. S. Rich	550
On account of Mr. W. Fletcher, Walcha.	
B g, Langford, by Molly Hampton (imp.)—Nellie, by Beauchamp (imp.), 5yrs—Mr. R. Gilmore	165
On account of Mr. M. Thompson, Randwick.	
Br g, by San Francisco (imp.)—De Aar, by Gibraltar, 4yrs—Mr. S. Margett	22½
On account of Mr. Hunter White, Havilah.	
Br g, Woad, by True Blue—Carberra, by Carbine, 5yrs—Mr. R. Powell (Vic.)	600
On account of Mr. W. Ryan, N.Z.	
B c, by Birkenhead (imp.)—Lollaloo, by Flintlock, 2yrs—Mr. F. Haydon	27½
On account of Mr. Bolger, Ingleburn.	
Blk g, by Gameboy—Bridesmaid, 4yrs—Mr. J. Gove	45
On account of Mr. J. W. Nond, Randwick.	
Br f, Love Tale, by Soult (imp.)—Fairy Tale, by Tasman, 2yrs—Mr. D. U. Seaton	130
On account of owners.	
B c, by Menschikoff—Becky Sharp, yearling—Mr. P. A. Connolly (W.A.)	[illegible]
B c, by Cobalt—Carnia, yearling—Mr. Darcy	17

BARRIER MINERS.

TROUBLE LOOMING.

FRESH DEMANDS ON EMPLOYERS.

BROKEN HILL, Tuesday.

A special meeting of the employees of Broken Hill Proprietary mine has been called for Wednesday to consider three important matters—(1) a proposal for a 44 hours' week; (2) the industrial unrest at the Port Pirie smelters; and (3) a proposal from the A.M.A. that unionists should not work with non-unionists.

The meeting is regarded as a most important one, and one with possible far-reaching effects. The Proprietary Company did not sign the 4½ years' agreement under which most of the mines are working, and which specifies the 48 hours' week. Two delegates from Port Pirie have arrived in the Hill to attend the meeting. They explain their position thus:—"The local agreement under which we are working will expire on May 23 next. It is an indefinite agreement, terminable by three months' notice on either side. We gave three months' notice on February 23 of a demand for an increase in wages to make the minimum 10s per day. At present we get 8s 9d per day. We ask that all men getting over 8s 9d should receive an increase of 1s per day, which will bring the maximum up to 11s per day. We are also asking for time and a quarter for all Sunday work. We had a conference with the acting general manager of the Proprietary Company at which he offered us a rise of 3d per shift all round for A.M.A. members only. The men met to consider the offer, and unanimously decided to turn it down. We have come to Broken Hill with the view of preparing a case for the Arbitration Court. The Port Pirie men are not looking for trouble, and do not anticipate any stoppage of work in the event of not getting a satisfactory reply from the directors of the company. We can always state a case for the Arbitration Court, and the award of the Court will always be made retrospective."

LINE-REPAIRER'S DEATH.

FALL FROM A LADDER.

WAGGA, Tuesday.

John Stewart, postmaster and telegraph line repairer in charge at Kyamba, met with an accident while repairing the wires near Germanton. He was mounted on a ladder reared against the pole, and the ladder slipped. He fell to the ground and was found lying in an unconscious condition. He was brought by train to Wagga, where he was admitted to the public hospital and found to be suffering from concussion of the brain, and injuries to the back. Stewart, who was a married man with a family, was 55 years of age, and was well known and very popular. He had had experience in the postal service at Bourke, Dungog, and Wentworth, and was line foreman in Sydney. He died this morning.

COUNTRY NEWS.

WATER SUPPLY.

BATHURST, Tuesday.

Mr. J. J. Sullivan, ex-president of the Turon Shire Council, states that if the Bathurst Municipal Council gives him £1200 he will guarantee to supply three times the amount of water now running into the waterworks tunnel, upon which the supply of the city is dependent.

CHURCHES.

BLAYNEY, Tuesday.

Jubilee celebrations in connection with the opening of the Presbyterian Church in Blayney 50 years ago took place on Sunday and yesterday. The Moderator of the Presbyterian Assembly, the Right Rev. R. Kay, preached to large congregations in Blayney on Sunday morning and evening, and at Hobby's Yards in the afternoon. Monday evening's proceedings took the form of a social gathering in the Blayney Town Hall. The Rev. Charles Crane, minister of the parish, said the Presbyterian Church was the first building opened for worship in Blayney, and was also used for a time by the Anglicans and Methodists. Other speakers were the Moderator, the Rev. J. C. Macdonald, of Orange, representing the presbytery of Bathurst, the Ven. Archdeacon Howell, and Alderman John Bridgman, Mayor of Blayney. A musical programme was given, and refreshments were provided by church workers.

COONAMBLE, Tuesday.

The Rev. W. J. Dunbar, who has been appointed to Dungog, was given a send-off at the Methodist Church last evening, and presented with a purse of sovereigns. Mr. E. E. Berryman presided.

SINGLETON, Tuesday.

On Sunday afternoon Mr. A. K. Gordon, deputation secretary of the New South Wales Auxiliary of the British and Foreign Bible Society, conducted a united children's service at the Mechanics' Institute. There was a very large attendance. During the afternoon the children, under the conductorship of Mr. B. S. Coughlan, rendered appropriate music.

A fortnight's mission was opened in St. Patrick's Church yesterday, before a crowded congregation. The missionaries are Rev. Fathers Sullivan and Gleeson, of the Redemptorist Order, Waratah.

MUNICIPAL.

PARKES, Tuesday.

The municipal council last night voted £45 for the erection of a windmill to raise water from Phoenix mine for stock and similar purposes. A good body of water is available at a depth of 180ft. The Works Department granted permission to obtain water from the old pumping station Billabong Creek, for use during the construction of the Peak Hill railway. It is estimated one thousand gallons daily will be required at the start, increasing to about three thousand gallons when the work is in full swing. A proposition in favour of removing the camping reserve from its present site near the railway gates to the vicinity of the old racecourse dam was defeated by six votes to one.

SINGLETON, Tuesday.

The waterworks engineer has submitted a lengthy report to the municipal council concerning the conditions of the plant. He stated the plant was too small for the amount of work it would have to do in the future. As both sets of pumps were being used to keep the supply going, it would be quite impossible to keep the plant in a satisfactory state of repair when the working parts began to wear. Some of the gudgeons and pins were already showing signs of wear, and nearly all the pump crank boxes would require taking out and attending to before the summer arrived. The condenser had never worked in a satisfactory manner. The best result got at the trial was 22lb vacuum, and even that was only maintained for half an hour. Why a better result was not obtained he was at a loss to understand. The report was referred to the water committee.

MASONIC.

MITTAGONG, Tuesday.

The annual installation of the worshipful master and investiture of officers of Lodge Jubilee, No. 162, U.G.L., N.S.W., took place on Monday night. The installing master was Worshipful Bro. N. Harvey, assisted by Very Worshipful Bro. Goulston, G.I.W. The following officers for the ensuing year were invested:—Worshipful master, Bro. J. A. Moses; I.P.M., Bro. N. Harvey; S.W., Bro. B. H. Paine; J.W., Bro. H. E. Gray; treasurer, Bro. J. Mealing; secretary, Bro. J. Napier; S.D., Bro. I. Cullen; J.D., Bro. Rutherford; D.C., Bro. B. Houghton; organist, Bro. J. W. Dawson; I.G., Bro. H. E. Stevenson; stewards, Bros. L. Tomlin, Hornabrook, Hedges, and J. Lenton; tyler, Bro. H. Binns. A large number of visiting brethren attended. A banquet was afterwards held.

CIRCUIT COURTS.

DUBBO, Tuesday.

A sitting of the Circuit Court was finished here on Saturday, before Mr. Justice P. W. Street. Mr. Hugh de B. O'Reilly (instructed by Mr. D'Apice) acted as Crown prosecutor, and Mr. Cohen as judge's associate. In the case of A. Wheler, charged with inflicting grievous bodily harm upon Adolph Wurfel, at Dubbo, on February 24 last, the accused was found not guilty and was discharged. Mabel Esther Small, charged with the murder of her mother (Esther Jane Johnson) at Cumnock, by poisoning, on September 14, 1911, was found not guilty on the grounds of insanity, and was ordered to be kept in custody during the pleasure of the Governor. Arthur C. Neale, charged with assault at Boppy Mount, near Cobar, on October 22, 1911, was found not guilty and discharged. Mr. H. E. Manning (Sydney), instructed by Mr. D. M'Quinn, appeared for accused in each of the above cases. Raymond S. de Evans, senior-sergeant of police at Bourke, pleaded guilty to a charge of embezzling certain monies, the properties of the Government, and was sentenced to 12 months' hard labour in Goulburn Gaol. His Honor said he would allow the prisoner the right to appeal for a remission of the sentence to six months on his good behaviour in gaol. John Quarman pleaded guilty to a charge of having been found in a dwelling with intent to commit a felony, and was sentenced to four months' hard labour in Goulburn Gaol, the sentence to be suspended under the provisions of the First Offenders' Act, on the necessary sureties being forthcoming. Henry M'Anally pleaded guilty to a charge of stealing from a dwelling and was sentenced to six months' hard labour in Darlinghurst Gaol. The case of C. W. Ruthven, forgery and uttering, was postponed until next Circuit Court or any other Court the Attorney-General may direct.

ADELONG, Tuesday.

The residence of George Cupitt, proprietor of a merry-go-round, situated at Adelong, was totally destroyed by fire last night.

ALBURY, Tuesday.

A fortnight ago six cadets were summoned for failing to attend drill. The cases were adjourned until to-day, when Colonel Wilkinson, the prosecutor, said that, in view of a statement recently made by the Minister for Defence, all the cases had been withdrawn.

BATHURST, Tuesday.

Prior to his departure for Scotland on six months' furlough, Captain A. T. Pringle was last night presented with a gold watch and chain and a purse of sovereigns by the Caledonian Society and the citizens generally.

Mr. Fitzgerald, an engineer of the Public Works Department, is at present putting down bores in connection with the city's water supply.

BARRABA, Tuesday.

Mr. Donald M'Leod, a very old resident of Hawkin's Creek, near Barraba, died at the age of 64. He had resided in the district for 30 years.

CASINO, Tuesday.

Mr. James O'Neill, who has been four years in charge of Dobie's Bight School, has been transferred to Riley's Hill. Prior to his departure he was presented by the residents and pupils with a gold watch, medal, and sovereign purse. Mrs. O'Neill received a brooch and gold watch.

CLIFTON, Tuesday.

John Taylor, who fell from the balcony of the Scarborough Hotel last week, sustaining concussion of the brain and other injuries, died in the Bulli Hospital. Taylor was a married man, and had been a resident of the district for many years.

DUBBO, Tuesday.

A commission to inquire into the shortage of trucks question sat in Dubbo on Monday. The commission consisted of Messrs. Blacket (chairman), Day, and Milne. Voluminous evidence was taken. The commission sat all day, and left for Wellington by the evening mail.

On Friday night a Chinaman was garotted in Brisbane-street and robbed of £22. Two men were detained on suspicion, but the Chinaman failed to identify them and they were released.

GOULBURN, Tuesday.

At the conference to-day of representatives of the shires interested in the proposed abolition of Yarrowlumla Shire, and its absorption in other areas, a provisional agreement was arrived at.

KEMPSEY, Tuesday.

Henry James Thompson, aged 55, was passing through a fence with a loaded gun when the weapon exploded. The shot lodged in his left arm. He was brought to Kempsey Hospital, where portion of his arm had to be amputated. Thompson died this morning from shock.

NARRABRI, Tuesday.

On Sunday, an aboriginal woman named Charlotte Murphy, 68 years, left the mission station at West Narrabri. She had only proceeded about 100 yards when she fell down dead.

On Sunday Charles Hutton, aged 72, was found dead in bed. Deceased, some months back, was fixing a windmill and fell from the top, and has since been practically paralysed.

The band contest to be held on 26th inst. has been postponed till October, owing to the very droughty conditions prevailing in the district.

The pony races in connection with the Carnival will be held, and promise to be successful.

Stephen Weaver, charged on remand with attempting to assault a little girl aged seven years, was committed for trial at the Quarter Sessions to be held during June.

QUEANBEYAN, Tuesday.

The Premier, Mr. M'Gowen, accompanied by Messrs. G. T. C. Miller and J. J. Cusack, Ms.L.A., and Mr. Harkness, of the Premier's department, Sydney, motored across from Braidwood, and arrived here at 1 p.m. on Sunday. In the afternoon he visited the Royal Military College and Federal capital site, returning to town late in the evening. Mr. M'Gowen openly expressed himself as being an even warmer admirer than before of the selection of the selected location of the seat of Government; and stated it was an ideal spot, and they should have in time one of the grandest cities in the world. The Premier met several deputations, inspected the weir across the Queanbeyan River, and left for Cooma at 2.30 p.m. on Monday.

SINGLETON, Tuesday.

Nurse Rose Williamson, a probationer of the Dangar Cottage Hospital, died from pneumonia, after an illness of three weeks. The deceased had been attached to the nursing staff for six months.

TAMWORTH, Tuesday.

Superintendent Hojel, who succeeds Superintendent Evans at Tamworth, arrived here on Saturday last from Bourke. Sub-Inspector Butler, of Narrabri, who was temporarily in charge of the police in this district for the past five weeks, left for Narrabri on Monday.

TAREE, Tuesday.

Mrs. Bridget Wise, of Pampoolah, died on Monday, aged 81 years. She resided on the Manning for about 60 years.

TILBA TILBA, Tuesday.

A line-repairer, named Sherwood, was fixing a wire to an insulator near Narooma yesterday afternoon, when the pole snapped, throwing him heavily to the ground. One of his ankles was severely crushed, and he received a compound fracture of the leg just above the ankle. He was conveyed to Cobargo last night. Dr. Lister ordered his removal to the Bega Hospital.

WAGGA, Tuesday.

Mr. P. Hann, Deputy Coroner for the district, held an inquiry at Wagga into the circumstances attending the death of John Kelly, who died in the Wagga Hospital on Thursday night last, having been brought from Henty where he had been run over by a waggon. His left leg was so badly injured that amputation was deemed advisable, but he never recovered from the shock occasioned by his injuries. The deceased left a wife and family, who reside at Chiltern.

WEST MAITLAND, Tuesday.

Senior-sergeant Ogden of East Maitland, retired last evening from the police force, after 32 years' service.

YERONG CREEK, Tuesday.

At a farmers' meeting on Saturday it was unanimously decided to approach the postal department, urging upon them the importance of securing a suitable site for a post and telegraph office at Yerong Creek.

A purse of 100 sovereigns was presented to the Rev. Alex. M'Clinchie, at Culcairn, on the eve of his departure for Ireland on a nine months' holiday.

PANAMA CANAL.

COMMONWEALTH SLOW TO ACT.

MELBOURNE, Tuesday.

It does not appear to appeal to the Federal Government that the opening of the Panama Canal will shorten the distance between Melbourne and New York by 2656 miles, and that consequently Australian vessels will be likely to use the new waterway largely. Before the Prime Minister went to Queensland he was asked when he intended to make representations to the Imperial Government with regard to the probability of the United States inflicting a toll of six shillings a ton on foreign shipping passing through the Canal. He replied that preference to one's own country was not a new thing. It was given by Australia to British goods, and efforts had also been directed to giving preference to goods carried in British ships. Later he indicated that he would make representations to the Imperial Government, but apparently he has not done so. In the Hay-Pauncefote treaty between Great Britain and the United States in 1901, it was stipulated that the canal should be free to the vessels of all nations on terms of entire equality; so that there should be no discrimination against any nation with regard to traffic charges.

THE MISSING ARMY.

5000 BELATED REGISTRATIONS.

MELBOURNE, Monday.

Returns of cadets' registrations for February show that the number of the registrations of lads born in 1898 has been increased to 22,749. The Defence Department, therefore, has found 5000 of the boys who constituted the missing army of 20,000.

A very small percentage of the junior cadets who have been examined have been found medically unfit, the total number of examinations for the Commonwealth to date is 37,750, of which number only two per cent. were found to be unfit or temporarily unfit.

UNIONS AT VARIANCE.

RIVAL ENGINEERING BODIES.

PERTH, Tuesday.

The Perth Supreme Court yesterday dealt with the effort of the Amalgamated Society of Engineers to secure cancelation of the registration as an industrial union of the Australasian Society of Engineers, which declined to join in the late railway shops strike.

The Registrar of Friendly Societies refused the Amalgamated Society's application for cancellation of the Australasian Society's registration under the Arbitration Act. The Amalgamated Society then appealed to the Supreme Court, which yesterday dismissed the appeal without costs, but recommended the Australasian Society to bring its rules into accordance with the Act without delay.

RECORD RETURNS ON THE MANNING.

JONES ISLAND, Tuesday.

The Manning River Co-operative Dairy Company returns for March show that suppliers were paid for first-class commercial butter 10½d, and 10d for second-class. The total gross turn over was £11,104 16s 7d. There was five per cent. of second-class. The output for the month showed an increase of 15 per cent. on the previous month, and 10 per cent. increase on the corresponding month last year. The output for the month was the best the company has ever had. The supply has never kept up so well in the autumn before, which is due to the splendid grass throughout the district. It is expected that a large supply will be maintained during the winter months. The weekly output at present is 21 tons.

METAL QUARRY.

CITY COUNCIL NEGOTIATIONS.

A recommendation submitted by Sir Allen Taylor, Lord Mayor, was considered yesterday by the City Council. The suggestion was to the effect that the council should purchase a quarry. The Lord Mayor explained that he had been in communication with the owner of a quarry on the South Coast, which property, he said, it would be to the advantage of the corporation to take over.

It was suggested that the members of the council should visit the property at an early date, as the offer to sell is to be open only for a limited period, and will expire at the end of next month.

The works committee have had the matter under consideration, and a further recommendation was made that the aldermen should visit all the available quarries.

"DISPERSAL" OF NATIVES.

The association for the Protection of Native Races in Australasia and Polynesia has received no official reply from the Western Australian Government bearing on the matter of a reported "dispersal" of natives last year. Two letters were addressed by the association to the Government, and now the executive committee of the association intends taking some other action "to give the Government of Western Australia the opportunity of clearing itself from the suspicion which rests upon it in connection with the tragic occurrence."

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PELLISSON'S COGNAC-BRANDY

THE BURSARIES BILL.

GOVERNMENT DENOUNCED.

REV. G. WALTERS' DECLARATION.

The Rev. G. Walters on Sunday evening denounced the State Government for the passage of the Bursaries Bill.

Speaking on "State Aid to Rome" at the Unitarian Church on Sunday evening, he said it was with some diffidence he approached a political subject from their free platform. There were, however, occasions when political movements endangered civil and religious liberty, and at such times it behoved every honest man to give expression to his thoughts.

The passing of the Bursaries Bill was, he said, one of these, and it pained him to think it was passed by a Government whom he had supported for many years. It seemed to him the Government had sold themselves to Archbishop Kelly and the members of his priesthood. Using the phraseology of bushranging days, the Government had been "stuck up by the Kelly gang," and had saved their political lives by endangering the Public school system, of which all were so justly proud.

Mr. Walters quoted a speech by Mr. Carmichael before the passing of the bill, and extracts from addresses by Messrs. Trefle and Holman to a Roman Catholic society after the bill had become law, and concluded by stating the passing of a bill that meant "State aid to Rome left him with no other alternative but his severance from the Labour movement."

On Mr. Walters resuming his seat, the congregation broke into hearty applause.

RANDWICK COUNCIL.

NO PUBLIC INQUIRY.

On account of statements openly made concerning the Randwick Town Council, the latter body recently appealed to the Minister for Works for an inquiry. Ex-alderman Brown, of Randwick, recently called at the Works Department and made certain allegations, and on this account also it was felt that an inquiry ought to be held. However, the attempt to have matters sifted out in that way has failed. At last night's meeting of the Randwick Council two letters were read from the Works Department. The first letter, dated April 2, was to the effect that ex-Alderman Brown had called at the Works Office on March 28, and stated:—(1) That certain correspondence addressed to the council from the Kensington Labour League, from the Labour Council of Randwick, and from the Kensington Progress Association, had not been laid before the council as required by ordinance No. 1, clause 16; and that the ex-Mayor refused to produce the correspondence when requested at a council meeting, by ex-Alderman Brown, to do so, stating that the letters were upon the file, and that ex-Alderman Brown could see them if he wished to do so; (2) that the sanitary service accounts of the municipality had never been audited either by the auditors in the office prior to the commencement of the Local Government Act, or by the auditors appointed under the Local Government Act up to the time when ex-Alderman Brown tabled a resolution respecting the town clerk about four months ago. He also stated that they had not been examined by the Government examiner. The letter went on: "With respect to the first statement above, ex-Alderman Brown has been informed that the department has no power to interfere; but with respect to the second statement the department proposes to have the matter investigated by an examiner of accounts."

The second letter was dated April 12, and was addressed to the town clerk. It stated that the matter was not one relating to the administration of the Act, and the Minister therefore could not grant the inquiry asked for.

The council under the circumstances had no course open to them but to abide by the decision, and this letter, too, was formally received.

THE CRICKET DISPUTE.

MELBOURNE, Tuesday.

The minutes of the last meeting of the Board of Control were read at the meeting of the Victorian Cricket Association last night. From these it was evident that the board was prepared for an application for an injunction, and Messrs. W. P. M'Elhone, E. E. Bean, and Foxton were appointed a sub-committee, with full powers to combat any move, and to invite other players to join the team if necessary. The report was formally received.

ALLEGED CONSPIRACY.

TAXI-CAB CASE.

QUESTIONS FOR THE JURY.

MELBOURNE, Tuesday.

The hearing of the charge of conspiracy against Charles Brown Kellow and Raymond Ewart Kemsley was continued to-day.

The proceedings during the morning were entirely of a formal nature, a vast quantity of documentary evidence being put in by the Crown. The documents were for the most part letters and cablegrams from Tozer, Kennedy, Fisher, and Company, London, to A. E. Kemsley, concerning the taxi-cab orders, and included the series dealing with the alleged secret commission, in which the writer, Millbourne, declares:—"We candidly admit we do not like the business."

At the conclusion of this evidence Mr. Woinarski announced that this ended the case for the Crown, and the jury being discharged for the day, counsel argued the question of direction to the jury.

During the argument Mr. Justice Cussen remarked: "I don't think there is much doubt, but that I shall leave the case to the jury."

The Court adjourned until to-morrow, when further argument will be heard.

CUSTOMS RETURNS.

STILL ROUNDING UP.

MELBOURNE, Tuesday.

Returns published by the Customs Department showing the amount of Customs and Excise duty collected during the week ended April 14, indicate that the revenue in this direction is still bounding up. During the period mentioned there was an increase of £43,626 over the same term of the previous year, notwithstanding the fact that in 1912 the week was one day short on account of Easter Monday falling in it. Details of the collection are as follow:—

State.	Week ended April 13, 1911.	Week ended April 14, 1912.	Incr.
New South Wales	£97,412	£112,976	£15,564
Victoria	56,415	82,995	26,580
Queensland	25,389	34,901	9,512
			Decr.
South Australia	21,586	16,965	4,621
Western Australia	25,464	21,436	4,028
			Incr.
Tasmania	4,247	4,893	619
Totals	£230,540	£274,166	£43,626

PUBLIC WORKS COMMITTEE.

WOLLONGONG, Tuesday.

The members of the Public Works Committee arrived in Wollongong this morning for the purpose of taking evidence in regard to the extension of the northern breakwater at Port Kembla. They were met at the station by Mr. J. A. Beatson (president of the Harbour League), and were afterwards driven to the Town Hall, where they were received by the Mayor (Alderman Dean).

Mr. Robson referred to his early connection with Wollongong. He stated that he went to school where the Town Hall now stands. The committee, accompanied by Mr. De Burgh and Mr. Blomfield, afterwards proceeded to Port Kembla to view the works now being carried out there.

MR. BEEBY'S TOUR.

HAY, Tuesday.

The Minister for Lands, Mr. Beeby, will arrive at Hay on Wednesday night. Mr. Beeby, who is accompanied by the Under-secretary for Lands (Mr. Hare), will then go across country by motor to Wentworth, thence to the Mildura irrigation settlement, and on to Melbourne. He will return to Sydney in about a fortnight.

THE WEATHER.

High pressure conditions continued yesterday over the eastern half of New South Wales, with the result that only two stations, and those on the extreme north coast, reported rain, viz., Tweed Heads 13 and Byron Bay 2 points. Elsewhere fine weather ruled, with slightly higher temperatures. In the western districts the maximum readings showed an increase of from 2 to 7 degrees, the highest being 88 at Bourke and Narrandera. The lowest temperatures during the night were 28 at Kiandra and 32 degrees at Kosciusko. Some fogs were reported from the central coast and highlands. At 9 a.m. yesterday cloudy or dull weather ruled almost throughout the State.

AMUSEMENTS.

THE THEATRES.

There will be another matinee at 1.30 to-day of "The Blue Bird" at the Criterion Theatre, where the adventures of Tyltyl and Mytyl in quest of Happiness take the audience through scenes suffused with beauty and charm. Maeterlinck's fairy-story is very cleverly interpreted by the London Haymarket Theatre Company.

"The Quaker Girl" will be performed at 1.45 to-day, as well as in the evening, at Her Majesty's Theatre. J. C. Williamson, Ltd., now announces the last 10 nights of the Royal Comic Opera Company season in this vivacious piece, as on April 27 the new pantomime, "Sinbad the Sailor," which ran for more than 100 performances in Melbourne, will be produced.

"The House of Temperley," wittily described as "the play with a punch," justifies its reputation at the Theatre Royal, where a matinee performance will be given to-day. In addition to the boxing matches, and "the great fight on Crawley Downs," Conan Doyle's drama furnishes a picturesque glimpse of the hard-living Regency period.

At the Palace Theatre the last three nights of "The Squatter's Daughter," with the capture of the hero by bushrangers, and the beautiful change from dawn to break of day, are now notified. On Saturday evening next Mr. Bert Bailey will produce H. F. Housden's drama, "Bonnie Mary," for the first time in Australia. The new play will be elaborately staged.

"The Sins of Society" is likely to hold sway at the Adelphi Theatre for some time to come, Mr. George Willoughby (managing director) having brought the Marlow Company, in line with current enterprise by a liberal staging, and the engagement of Mr. Hugh Buckler and Miss Violet Paget for the leading characters. The Drury Lane drama, thus presented, should draw in playgoers hitherto but little acquainted with the big playhouse.

At the Tivoli Theatre the new Rickards programme for this afternoon and evening now includes Hayman and Franklin, Hebrew character impersonators, who quite justify their title as "distributers of laughter." Tiny Arnold, the fairy comedienne, Rinaldo the Wandering Violinist, the Keeley Brothers, Fred Poplar, Kitty Wager, Reg Wentworth, the Tossing Testros, and many favourite artists will likewise appear.

At the National Amphitheatre, where the usual matinee will be given to-day, one of the star attractions is Kara, a juggler and equilibrist, known in almost every vaudeville theatre of importance in Europe. The King's College Boys promote harmony amongst themselves and the audience, and Herbert Clifton, the Siddons in their grand and lofty acrobatic feats, and other artists are included. There are amateur trials every Friday night.

BLASCHECK AT THE Y.M.C.A. HALL.

Joseph Blascheck is again amusing large audiences at the Y.M.C.A. Hall, where that clever character-actor and humorist is presenting almost entirely new programmes, with new songs and sketches, and new duets with that skilful singer, pianist, and comedienne, Miss Mildred Wrighton. The plan for these bright evening entertainments is at Paling's.

WALTER BENTLEY PLAYERS.

Mr. Walter Bentley and his "Players" will give their usual monthly recital at St. James's Hall to-morrow evening, when "Self Sacrifice," a pathetic selection; "Evadne," a tragic episode in two scenes; "Miss Primrose's Baby," "The Kiss in the Dark," and Mr. Bentley in a scene from Bulwer Lytton's "Richelieu," will be included. Plan is at Paling's.

WIRTH BROS.' CIRCUS.

This entertainment continues to draw crowded houses to the Belmore Markets, where the wonderful Flying Jordans, in their fearless aerial display; the clever exhibition of the trained Polar and Teddy bears, introduced by Herr Rudolph Schmidforms; and (in the menagerie), Lizzie, the African hippopotamus, always arouse interest. Chief amongst the other performers are the Bastien family, consisting of eleven star acrobats; Atoria and Le Van, aerial bar exponents; the beautiful Adelia sisters and George; the Cook and Christie Brothers, in their jockey act; Kitchen and Foy, comedy trampoline artists; Miss Daisy Cooke, Signorita Dolinda, and the Harry Nage Company. There will be a matinee this afternoon.

CONCERT ENGAGEMENTS.

Miss Elsie Stanley-Hall, during an absence of some 10 years in Europe, has played at the Queen's Hall Orchestral concerts under Sir Henry Wood; at Worcester, under Sir Edward Elgar; at the Halle Concerts, Manchester; at Bournemouth, under Mr. Dan Godfrey; and at many concerts and recitals in London and in Germany. Miss Hall rendered a selection of music before a distinguished company at the dinner given by their Excellencies the Governor-General and Lady Denman, at Commonwealth Government House, Sydney, on the 8th instant. She will make her first public appearance in Sydney on Saturday next as solo-pianist in the concert at the Town Hall by the Sydney Symphony Orchestra, and early in May will give concerts in Toowoomba (her native city) and Brisbane.

The concert to be given in the Town Hall next Saturday evening to aid the funds of the Military Institute is receiving general support from the rank and file of the State forces. The programme of varied character will be contributed to by Misses Daisy Thomas, Ilma Elliott, Messrs. Hubert Macken, A. Camphausen, Ellis Price, T. Mankey, W. Nott, P. O. Briggs, Harold Whittle, Sid. Shinway, and the State Military Band, under Captain Bentley. The plan is now open at Paling's.

Miss Greta Hale will give an invitation song-recital at Paling's Concert Hall on Saturday afternoon next. The principal artist will be assisted by Misses Alice Liggins, Leila Jeffrey, and Mr. S. Martin Mortlock.

Miss Doris Madden, at her pianoforte recital in St. James' Hall next Tuesday evening, will perform Beethoven's "Appassionata Sonata," Bach-Tausig "Toccata and Fugue in D Minor," and works of Corelli, Rameau, Gluck, Blumenfeld, and Liszt, all of interest [illegible] will play two violin solos, and Miss Annie Mills will sing an ancient song by Scarlatti, "Consolati e Spera." The plan is at Paling's.

Mr. Ludwig Schaeffer's concert, to take place in the Town Hall next Wednesday evening, will bring forward that promising young bass in "Vision Fugitive," "O, Star of Eve," and "Had a Horse." Mr. Schaeffer will be assisted by Misses Muriel Barton, Geraldine Ward, Daisy Sweet, Iris de Cairos Rego, Dorothy Scott-Young, Millie Gallagher, Messrs. Harold Whittle, F. Gagliardi, and Giovanni Checcucchi. The plan is at Paling's.

Miss Eva Mylott has notified Mr. H. N. Southwell that she will leave San Francisco early in June, and arrive in Sydney about the 7th July. Though her brief visit is in the nature of a holiday, she will give a few concerts while here. Mr. Southwell will be glad to hear from the numerous city and country friends of Miss Mylott.

At the first of Mr. Nicholas J. Gehde's winter concerts next Sunday afternoon the performers will be Misses Elsie R. Peerless, Ella Abbott, and Ivy Allen, Messrs. E. Archer, Roy Allen, A. R. Richards, and A. E. Benham, Master Jack Hendley, the Meistersinger Male Quartet, and the Rozelle District Band (Australasian champions).

The first concert of the Sydney Symphony Orchestra's 1912 season will be given in the Town Hall on Saturday afternoon next, at 3 o'clock, when Mr. Joseph Bradley will conduct. Miss Elsie Hall will play Beethoven's Concerto for pianoforte and orchestra in C minor, No. 3, and the programme will include Berlioz's symphony, "Harold in Italy" (solo viola, Henri Staell), the overtures "Der Freischutz" (Weber), and "Rienzi" (Wagner). The plan is at Nicholson's.

A dramatic and musical entertainment was successfully given at St. James's Hall last night by the pupils of Miss Ruby Austin, which included a speaking tableau, entitled "King Winter's Carnival," with many characters and groups of fairies and flowers; a scene from "King John," and the trial scene from "The Merchant of Venice." Violin ensembles were contributed to by the pupils of Miss Katie Green, and various concert numbers were acceptably rendered. The hall was crowded.

OTHER ENTERTAINMENTS.

On Saturday night at the Glaciarium and the New Olympia, Oxford-street, West's, Limited, will present "Camille," in which Madame Sarah Bernhardt appears for the first time before the biograph camera. The Australasian rights of the film were secured at very great expense, and it is claimed that the acting of the great French tragedienne is faultless, while she is ably supported by other members of the company. The picture has already created great enthusiasm in Melbourne. Special music will be rendered by De Groen's Band, and a number of the latest films will also be shown. There will be a matinee on Saturday.

The latest sensation at the Lyceum, now being exhibited under Spencer's management, has a sufficiently exciting title. "The Tide of Death" is said to be a story of Australian life, made by Australians for Australian audiences, and the fire of patriotism, to judge by the size of the "houses" each evening, would seem to need no fanning in Sydney. The story how the hero is tied by a gang of ruffians to await drowning by the tide in the bed of a dry creek, and is rescued at the last moment by the devoted heroine, is followed with breathless interest. An excellent programme of topical scenic, and humorous subjects is included.

The principal feature of the present programme at the Lyric Theatre is undoubtedly "The Midnight Wedding," a luridly dramatic production, in which the jealousy of a rejected lover lightly turns to thoughts of dynamite, and is with difficulty induced to forego his cherished plans for a general holocaust. "The Imposter," at the Colonial Theatre No. 1, is the story of a young nobleman, who is impersonated by an imposter, but who eventually turns up just in time to retrieve his affairs, love and otherwise, from falling completely into the rascal's hands. At Colonial No. 2 a pretty little Western drama of the dauntless tenderfoot, the beautiful maid, and the bold bad robber is the central attraction.

The Victoria Theatre, in Pitt-street, is determined to keep abreast of the times, and with that object is showing this week a photographic presentment of "The Blue Bird." A bright programme also includes such popular attractions as "The Snow Man" and "Love and Lemons."

LATE COMMERCIAL.

ADELAIDE, Tuesday.

The wheat market was exceptionally strong, farmers' lots being taken on a basis of up to 3/11 a quarter, in trucks, Port Adelaide. Holders were selling sparingly. Parcels went through at 4/0¾ to 4/1, f.o.b. Sellers have withdrawn, and the market is now more or less nominal at 4/2 to 4/3, f.o.b. Flour was meeting with improved inquiry, but the difficulty of securing space is hindering business. F.O.B. value is £7/12/6 to £8/5/, and for delivered £8/12/6 to £8/17/6 is quoted. Bran and pollard are very strong at 1/3½ to 1/4, delivered or f.o.b. Sales of bran went through at 1/3½, f.o.b., and pollard 1/4. Buyers of the latter went unsupplied at 1/3½. Oats were steady but quiet at 3/1 to 3/2, f.o.b. Hay was firm at 92/6 to 95/. Chaff has had further attention at fully late rates, viz., 90/ to 92/6, f.o.b., in sympathy with the steady firming in eastern States.

Butter again strengthened, top lines quitting up to 1/6 for factory, 1/4 for dairy, and 1/1 store. Eggs hardened to 1/7 for hen and 1/7½ for duck. Honey was scarcely so firm at /3. Bacon met with a good turnover at /7½ to /8. Cheese was inclined to firm at from /7 to /9.

SHIRE COUNCILS.

ERINA (Gosford).—The Shire Council has written to the Electoral Districts Commission protesting against the proposed electoral boundaries, as affecting Erina Shire. If the proposed boundaries are adhered to the shire will be sliced into three portions, and parts will be included in the electorates of Singleton, Kahibah, and Hawkesbury. The council previously asked that the northern boundary of the shire, at Dora Creek, be the northern boundary of the electorate, including the shire area, and asks that the request be reconsidered by the commissioners.

MINING.

LONDON MARKET FIRM.

SILVER AND COPPER SHARES EASIER LOCALLY.

SPELTER AND LEAD VALUES SOLID.

Taken altogether, the quotations of the London Stock Exchange on Monday disclosed an all-over "steady market. This, together with the fact that lead was holding firm at £16/5/, and that spelter had improved 2/6 to £25/15/ per ton, was good news to holders of Barrier stocks. In the absence of any quotation for copper, it was assumed, seeing the steadiness of the "middle" prices for copper stocks, that the value of the red metal stood unchanged at £70/10/ per ton.

In view of the above circumstances one would have imagined that the local market would have showed more buoyancy than it did, but in a large measure local operators have to be guided by the state of the Stock Exchanges of Adelaide and Melbourne, and as they were merely steady, business locally was on the same lines. But if there were no disposition on the part of buyers to make a "bull market," sellers were equally disinclined to mark down prices. They would not budge an inch, in view of the firmness of London both in share quotations and metal values.

The "bear" movement in B.H. Junction shares, started in Adelaide on Saturday, was very short-lived, for the stock recovered yesterday morning, and the Adelaide "bears" must have been caught. It is believed to have been engineered on the strength of a statement that the directors will want more money to complete the treatment plant, and that this means another call. The plant being erected will treat between 2000 to 2500 tons of crude ore per week, and will make a 64 per cent. lead concentrate. The residues from this lead concentrate will require to be treated by another plant, in order to make a high-grade zinc concentrate.

To erect this additional plant, more money will be required, and it is learned on good authority that it will probably be raised by a further issue of preference shares. If so, no calls will be made upon the ordinary shares. The company estimates to make a good profit on the 64 per cent. lead concentrate, leaving the residues to provide a still further profit. The shares recovered from 6/11 last Saturday to 8/2.

With the exception of a slight sagging of B.H. Junction North and North Broken Hills, other Barriers dealt in commanded firm support. B.H. Souths, paid and contributing, were unobtainable at improved rates. Zinc Corporation, Sulphide Corporation, Potter's Sulphide, Carmichael-Bradford commanded firm offers, whilst Amalgamated Zincs were firmly held. The announcement of the colonial secretary of the British Broken Hill Company that the 17th dividend would be declared in a few days had a strengthening effect upon the shares.

Matters were not so cheery in the copper division. It is true, firm business was booked in Great Cobars, Munganas, and Mount Lyells, but Mount Morgans again sold on the down grade. There was a lack of vigour in the support accorded to Mount Elliotts and Hampdens, whilst Wallaroo and Moontas were quoted wide. Queen Bee were in request, but sellers were silent.

Both gold and tin shares were quiet. Sandstone gold sold firmly, whilst Bullfinch Proprietary were steady. Vegetable Creek sold firmly, but Vulcans eased. Both Tongkah Harbour and Tongkah Compound were firmly held.

In the afternoon business tailed off very much, but except in a very few instances prices and quotations were well maintained. Both Hampdens and Mount Morgans sold on the weak side, but firm sales were booked in Mount Lyells and Kangiara. Mount Elliotts were rather quiet. Business in the silver division was confined to fairly steady sales in B.H. Junctions, a further recovery in B.H. Block 10, and steady transactions on B.H. Proprietary. Other Barrier stocks were firmly held. Both gold and tin shares were lifeless. During the day sales were booked in Mount Oxide Options at £20, and Amalgamated Hill End at 3/11.

THE SHARE MARKET.

Sydney Stock Exchange.—The closing quotations were:—

	Buyers. £ s d	Sellers. £ s d
COPPER.		
...ry	0 0 7	0 0 9
...goe	0 6 4	0 6 6
..., contributing	0 5 ...	0 6 0
...llos	0 7 6	—
...-Cloncurry, paid	1 13 4½	1 13 6
...ana	0 3 0	0 3 2
...	—	0 2 9
...	—	0 3 4
..., preference	—	0 3 4
... Elliott	5 3 0	5 4 0
... Molloy, pref.	0 1 5	0 2 6
...(Chillagoe)	—	0 2 3
... Bee	0 3 0	—
...aroo and Moonta	2 5 3	2 5 10½
TIN.		
...	0 1 0	—
...table Creek	0 4 0	0 4 1
...an	0 2 10	—
SILVER. New South Wales, etc.		
British Broken Hill	2 18 6	2 19 0
Do., Privileged	2 6 0	2 6 6
Broken Hill Proprietary	2 10 3	2 10 6
Do., Block 10	2 17 9	2 18 6
Do., Block 14, preference	—	0 13 0
..., Junction	0 8 2	0 8 3
Do., pref.	0 9 6	0 10 0
..., Junction North	1 0 3	1 0 4½
...North	5 18 0	5 19 0
..., South	7 14 0	—
..., South, contributing	7 7 0	—
Amalgamated Zinc	1 15 3	1 15 7½
Carmichael	0 1 3	—
...	0 1 1	—
Potter's Sulphide	0 3 6	0 4 0
... con. ord.	1 4 3	1 4 9
Sulphide Corporation, pref.	1 14 0	—
... Corporation, ord.	0 8 10	—
..., pref.	1 13 0	1 14 0
... Burragorang	—	0 4 0
GOLD. New South Wales, etc.		
...'s Creek	—	0 1 0
...	0 1 0	0 2 6
...'s Hill Reward	0 4 6	—
..., contg.	0 4 0	—
... David	0 1 4	0 1 6
...dential	—	0 7 2
Gold.—Dredging and Sluicing.		
... Central	0 1 3	0 2 6
Associated Gold Dredging	0 2 10	0 3 0
... Amalgamated	—	0 10 0
Tin.—Dredging and Sluicing.		
... Creek	—	0 2 0
...thorpe, pref.	0 10 0	—
...h Harbour Tin	2 5 6	2 6 0
..., Compound	—	1 16 6
Tasmania.		
Mount Lyell	1 14 6	1 14 7½
Queensland, Charters Towers, etc.		
...'s Queen Block	0 2 8	0 3 0
Mount Morgan	2 15 0	2 15 3
Western Australia.		
...iated	0 6 2	—
... Range	1 8 6	—
... Range West, contg.	0 2 2	0 3 0
...ch Proprietary	0 10 6	0 10 9
...er's	0 0 11	0 1 1
... Boulder	0 12 7½	0 13 0
... Boulder, Perseverance	0 3 3	—
...stone	0 0 11	0 1 0

STOCK EXCHANGE SALES.

MORNING.

Copper.—Great Cobar, 85/6; ditto, London delivery, 83/3; Mount Morgan, 55/; 6 weeks, ...; Munganas, 2/; Mount Lyell, 34/6.

Silver.—B.H. Junction (ord.), 7/9, 7/10, 7/11, 8/1/2; B.H. Junction North, 20/3; B.H. Block 10, 58/9, 57/; North Broken Hill, £5/18/6; B.H. Proprietary, 50/6; British (old), 58/9; Gold.—Kelly's Queen Block (paid), 2/9; Sandstone Gold, /11½.

Tin.—Vegetable Creek Tin, 4/1; Vulcan Tin, 3/.

AFTERNOON.

Copper: Hampden, 33/6; Mount Lyell, 34/6; Mount Morgan, 55/; Kangiara Mines, 3/.

Silver: B.H. Junction (ord.), 8/3; one month, 8/3½; ord., 8/; one month, 8/; ditto, 8/10½; B.H. Block 10, 58/9; B.H. Proprietary, 58/6.

Gold: Sandstone Gold, 1/; New Langi Logan, contg., 13/7½; Associated Gold Dredging, 2/10.

Tin: Vegetable Creek Tin, 4/.

LONDON SHARE MARKET.

LONDON, April 16.

On the Stock Exchange yesterday shares in Australian mining ventures were quoted as follows:—British Broken Hill, b 57/6, s 58/6; Broken Hill Block 10, b 58/9, s 61/3; Broken Hill North, b 117/6, s 120/; Broken Hill South, b 152/6, s 157/6; Waihi, b 36/3, s 38/9; Waihi Junction, b 25/6, s 26/6.

LEAD AND SPELTER VERY FIRM.

The brokers' cable message states that amongst the shares quoted on the London Stock Exchange on Monday were the following "middle" prices:—Broken Hill Proprietary, 50/6; B.H. South (paid), £7/16/3; British (old), 58/3; B.H. Block 10, 58/9; Briseis, 8/; Mount Lyells, 33/9; Zinc (ord.), 9/; ditto (pref.), 33/6; Mount Elliotts, £5/5/7½; Great Cobars, 85/7½; Mount Morgans, 56/3; Great Norths, £5/19/4½; Chillagoe, 6/1½; Munganas, 2/1½; Hampden, 33/9; Amalgamated Zinc, 35/3; Great Boulders, 12/9; Associated, 5/; Boulder Perseverance, 3/9; Golden Horseshoes, 53/3; Lake Views, 11/6; Sons of Gwalia, 21/3; Gwalia Consolidated, /6. Copper, £70/10/ (unaltered); lead, £16/5/ (unaltered); spelter, £25/15/ (2/6 up); and tin, £197 (unaltered).

MINING NOTES.

The Johnson's Reef Company (Bendigo) has declared a dividend of 1/ per share, payable on April 28.

The new shaft of the New Burragorang Silver Mining Company was last week deepened from 12ft to 86ft, the lode being without change.

The Broken Hill Proprietary Company, Ltd., has received a cable message dated April 15, giving the following quotations:—Silver, 2/2 7-8 (official quotation); lead, £16/3/9 (buyers' price); company's shares, £2/9/9 (buyers' price); and spelter, £25/15/ (buyers' price).

The manager of the Mount Oxide mine telegraphed yesterday to the secretary as follows:—"Lode struck in north prospecting shaft, first few inches assay 10 per cent. New adit 240ft south, extended to 53ft. Truckings for fortnight averaged 4½ per cent. Open cut 500ft south, extended 3ft, and cut shaft. Chamber truckings for fortnight assayed 15½ per cent., face assays 16½ per cent.; four-inch vein assays 55 per cent. Trench 640ft south exposes network veins over 30ft, veins assay 13½ per cent. North winze stope shows 6ft glance. Ore truckings for week assay 45½ per cent. North face extended to 144ft, face assays 20 per cent. over 5ft. Ore in trench 640ft, assays 9 per cent. across 6ft of hanging wall, other faces looking well. Developments most satisfactory." The following further telegram was also received from the manager yesterday:—"Decided improvement in open cut, 500ft south of main shaft. Ore on hanging wall assays 15 per cent. over 5ft. Am cutting chamber for prospecting shaft. Other faces all looking well."

The Chillagoe Company reports:—"Muldiva, lower tunnel, east drive extended 94ft, no chance in face. Breaking ore between old stopes and pass; west drive extended 26ft, face in gossan and boulders of ore underfoot. Gully shaft down 60ft; cut heavy water on Monday, drained by Wednesday, cut more Thursday, but gradually lowering. Stope winze in lower tunnel drained. Shipping ore to smelters. Paisley, continuing prospecting on ore. Union mine: No. 3 level, started rise, 125ft east of shaft, and risen 13ft, patches of ore assaying 12dwt gold, 4oz silver, and 9 per cent. copper. Stope producing good ore. Raised 16 tons, average value 6½oz gold, 13oz silver, and 23 per cent. copper. Ore shipped, 28 tons."

The first annual meeting of the Etheridge Gold Mines, Queensland, was held in Melbourne yesterday. Mr. J. S. Reid presided, and in moving the adoption of the reports, said the erection of the concentrating plant had been delayed, and its cost increased by labour troubles. It was believed that a good smelting concentrate would result from the concentrating scheme outlined. Developments were satisfactory, particularly at the Nil Desperandum mine. The manager had wired that day, stating that he expected to have most of the machinery running next week. On account of the shortage of miners, however, there might be some difficulty in keeping up a full output during the first two months. The motion for the adoption of the reports was agreed to.

MINING IN THE STATE.

URALLA, Tuesday.

The Goldsworthy Company struck a reef in the crosscut last night. They are four feet into the stone, with the other wall not yet showing. Gold is visible in the stone.

YAMBULLA, Tuesday.

Hite, Bowman, and party, of the Duchess of York Extended, have enlarged their party by the taking in of two additional men. The party now numbers eight. Suspecting they were under M'Kenzie's old working, a hole was put up verticularly 8ft and fired. The shot broke through into the old ground, showing that from their footwall to M'Kenzie's hanging wall is a distance of twenty to twenty-four feet, that space being all formation, carrying about 6dwt of gold per ton. They now have about 60 tons of crushing stuff at Grass, and two tons of sulphides. Nine tons of sulphide ore were lately despatched to Cockle Creek. The mine is now being opened up and developed, with the view of getting large quantities of tsone for local treatment.

A RICH FIND.

KALGOORLIE, Tuesday.

Tributers on the New Bailey's mine, at Coolgardie, are reported to have struck a large body of ore at the 300ft level. It was roughly estimated to be worth 5oz.

THE BROKEN HILL MINES.

THE SHORTAGE OF LABOUR.

LOOKING FOR A "SOFT COP."

BROKEN HILL, Wednesday.

A number of men have arrived in Broken Hill, in response to the appeal of the mines for surface and underground hands. A batch of 20 Italians arrived to-day; still the total is far below requirements. The A.M.A. quote the fact that daily men can be seen on the mines seeking work. These, however, are mostly men in work, who, whilst off shift, visit another mine looking for what they call a "softer cop." If engaged and put on, the men try the new work for a shift, and if the new job is not to their liking, they simply leave and return to their first employment. Managers are aware of this, but have to submit to it.

Surface construction work on the Broken Hill Junction mine is still progressing satisfactorily. The repair and testing of the power plant was well in hand. Work in connection with the first concentration plant is proceeding, and the breaker station is also being got ready. Developmental work underground is also advancing. At the 400ft level, opening out in section A2 is proceeding. The east drive from No. 2 crosscut (550ft level) was advanced 3ft last week, total 31ft through ore, assaying 22.8 per cent. lead, 21.7oz silver, and 18 per cent. zinc. The crosscut north from the main drive was advanced 4ft, total 42ft, in mixed lode formation. The C5 drive also on this level was advanced 5ft, total 74ft, through ore going 17 per cent. lead, 15.2oz silver, and 16.4 zinc. The M'Intyre shaft has been centred up to the surface, and the ladder way is receiving attention. This shaft will be used for ventilation and filling purposes. The filling of the big stope at 775ft level is approaching completion.

The North Broken Hill mine last week treated only 3400 tons of crudes, averaging 15.9oz lead, 6.8oz silver, and 13.5 per cent. zinc, producing 590 tons of concentrates, assaying 71.1 per cent. lead, 21.7oz silver, and 5.8 per cent. zinc. The decreased output was due to the holidays.

The Broken Hill Block 14 mine, for the past fortnight, including the broken week, raised and despatched 820 tons of the usual grade carbonates to Port Pirie.

INTERSTATE EXCHANGES.

MELBOURNE, Tuesday.

To-day's sales were:—

Morning: Block 10, 55/, odd lot 55/6; odd British, 57/9, 58/3, 56/; Junction North, 20/6; B. Hill South, paid, £7/15/; Potter's Sulphide, 3/8½; Hercules, 11/3; Hampden, 33/9; Chillagoe, paid, 6/4; Mt. Balfour, 65/; Briseis, 8/; Marvel Loch, 3/10; Cameron's Ajax, 2/1; Birthday Tunnel, 2/; Cathcart, 15/10, 15/9; ditto paid, 14/; Frenchman's Reef, 4/, 4/1; Langi Logan North, 2/4, 2/4½; New Langi Logan, 13/9, 13/11; Nuggety Ajax, 12/6; New Specimen Hill, 14/1; Central Red, White, and Blue, 81/; Great Southern Consols, 2/; Monument Hill, 4/6; Pyrenees, 2/11, 2/10; Golden Age, 4/1; United Hustlers and Redan, 9/4, 9/2; Cassilis, 2/3; United Devonshire, /8; Macarthur, £12/15/, £12/10/.

Afternoon:—Silver: B.H. Block 10, 55/; odd lots, 56/, 59/; British (old), 57/9, 58/3, 58/, 58/9; North Broken Hill, £5/19/6; B.H. Junction North, 20/6; Broken Hill South, paid, £7/15/; Amalgamated Zinc, 35/3, 35/6; Potter's Sulphide, 3/8½; Hercules, 11/3.

Copper: Chillagoe, paid, 6/4; Hampden, 33/9; Mount Cuthbert, 4/5; Mount Balfour, 65/, 62/; Tasman and Crown Lyell, /4½.

Tin: Briseis, 8/.

Gold: Marvel Loch, 3/10, 3/11; Ajax, 26/6, 26/11, 25/1½, 25/3; Birthday Tunnel, 2/; Cameron's Ajax, 2/1; Cathcart, 15/10, 15/9; Cathcart Victory, 1/; Pitcher's Reef, /2; Christensen's Ajax, 2/8; Frenchman's Reef, 4/, 4/1; ditto, South, /8½; Langi Logan North, 2/4, 2/5½; New Langi Logan, 13/3, 13/11; New Sultan, 6/7, 7/, 6/11; New Specimen Hill, 14/1; Nuggety Ajax, 12/6, 13/2; North Nuggety, 48/6, 51/, 50/9; South Berry, 3/, 3/1; Pyrenees, 2/11, 2/10; Rising Star, 5/; Central Windmill Hill, 6/6; William Tell, 4/, 3/11; Central Red, White, and Blue, 81/, 80/; Great Southern Consols, 2/, 1/11½; Golden Age, 4/1, 4/6; Monument Hill, 4/6; Poseidon King, /10, /9; United Hustlers and Redan, 9/4, 9/2; United Devonshire, /8; Cassilis, 2/3; Johnson's Reef, 50/, 49/; Sea, 3/7, 3/9; South Prince of Wales, 2/3; Northern Territory, £20; Macarthur River, £12/15/, £12/10/.

ADELAIDE, Tuesday.

To-day's sales were:—

Forenoon.—Silver: British old, 58/6; Junction Pref., 7/9, 7/10, 7/1, 8/; Star Exploration, 1/0½, 1/.

Gold: Associated, 10/4½, 10/3, 10/4½; Bullrush Gold Estates, con., 2/10; Golden Butterfly, con., 1/7; Great Boulder, 12/7½.

Noon: Zinc Corporation, ord., 9/1.

Silver: British old, 58/9; Junction Ord, 8/1, 8/2, 8/3.

Gold: Golden Butterfly, con., /6.

BENDIGO, Tuesday.

To-day's sales were:—Bruhn's Consols, 1/3½; Central New Chum, 10½; Deborah Reef, /7½, 7; Johnson's Reef, 51/, 49/9; Londonderry, 1/1; Lord Roberts, 1/3; New Golden Fleece, 2/5, 2/6; New Prince of Wales, 13/8, 13/6, 13/8; New Shenandoah, 4/1; South Prince of Wales, 2/6, 2/5; Specimen Hill, 1/6; South Garden, Ltd., 1/5; Stafford Reef, /8; United Ulster, 2/3; United Hustlers and Redan, 8/10½, 9/, 8/10½; Williams' United, 3/3, 3/4; Windmill Hill, 6/10½.

CHARTERS TOWERS, Tuesday.

To-day's sales were:—Bonnie Dundee, 2/5; B. Brilliant, 5½; B. Deeps, 11/; B. Block, 3/; Clark's, /3; Kelly's Queen, 2/7; ditto, paid, 2/8.

BRISBANE, Tuesday.

To-day's sales were:—Papuan, 1/3.

HOBART, Tuesday.

Stock Exchange quotations:—Briseis, b 8/1; Mount Bischoff, s £61/10/; Boulder, b 2/, s 3/6; New Bancs, paid up, s 6/; Pioneer, b 23/, s 24/; Renison Belle, s 17/; Tongkah, b 45/6, s 48/; Tas., b 3/3, s 3/6; Balfour, b 60/.

PUBLIC NOTICE.

It is found that, for the sake of extra profits, some shopkeepers are selling, either alone or mixed with Cadbury's, other and inferior Chocolates as Cadbury's.

This can easily be detected, since EVERY PIECE OF CADBURY'S CHOCOLATE IS NOW BRANDED underneath with their name.

—Advt.

WATER FAMINE.

TAMWORTH, Tuesday.

The supply of water in the tanks is becoming alarmingly low. The Department of Public Works is doing its utmost to complete a scheme of pumping water from the drift well at Paradise Flat to the reservoir near the district hospital and Mactaggart district works. Two pumps have been placed in position at Paradise Flat, and on Saturday last the electric current was laid on, and the smaller of the two pumps put into motion. The trial proved a success, and a start has been made to pump water out of the well so that the men can sink deeper. Unless rain falls within the next week to replenish tanks the outlook for the town is very alarming. The council is selling water at the rate of 3d for 100 gallons. Tickets can also be purchased at the local council chambers at the rate of 2s 6d per dozen. For each ticket the purchaser is allowed 100 gallons.

LECTURES.

THE INSTITUTE OF INCORP. ACCTS. OF N.S.W. STUDENTS' SOCIETY.

A LECTURE

THIS EVENING AT 8 O'CLOCK.

By Mr. E. JONES, A.I.I.A., ON "CONSIGNMENT AND BRANCH ACCOUNTS."

Members and their friends are desired to attend.

H. H. HOLDEN, Registrar.

121 Bathurst-street.

POPULAR SCIENCE LECTURES.

A LECTURE, illustrated by specially prepared Coloured Lantern Slides, will be delivered in THE LECTURE HALL at the AUSTRALIAN MUSEUM by Dr. T. STORIE DIXSON, on THURSDAY, 18th APRIL, 1912, at 8 p.m. Subject: "MUSEUM METHODS AND ASPIRATIONS." Admission Free. You are Cordially invited.

SPECIAL LANTERN LECTURE, LEIGH HOUSE, TO-NIGHT, 8. Doors open 7.30. By "Omrah" Spirit Photographs, Apport Flowers, under test conditions; sceptics convinced. Materialisation proven; health emanations, good and bad, shown. To-night will be your only opp. to witness this interesting lecture. Tkts., 6d.

LANTERN Lecture, Leigh House, To-night, by Omrah, Spirit Photo., Flower Apport.

RELIGIOUS ANNOUNCEMENTS.

BAPTIST UNION of NEW SOUTH WALES.—Half-yearly Assembly, Petersham Church, 2.30, William Arnold, Esq., President. Business Session, 7.30, Missions Demtn. Rev. A. J. Waldock, Rev. C. Stark.

CALLS AND DIVIDENDS ON SHARES

THE CHILLAGOE COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given that on and after the 29th day of April, 1912, ALL SHARES in the above Company on which the Second Call of Sixpence per Share (due on 12th March last) has not been paid will be liable to forfeiture.

By order of the Board. C. L. HEWITT, Secretary.

PUBLIC NOTICES.

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ALEXANDRIA ELECTORATE.—Ex-Ald. James M. DIXON is the selected Indep. Labour candidate.

STOCK, SHARES, AND MONEY.

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STARR-BOWKETT Loan, £370, includ. subscrips. paid in, free int. 12 years. Rex, P.O., Belmore.

WANT, £75, to finance contract worth £200 to £250. S. F. C., Herald.

MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS.

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NOTICE.—A handsome, full-sized, overstrung, Upright Grand, by Schubert, £28. TERRILL, 160 George-street West.

FOR Sale, Piano, B. Brinsmead, Lond., pract. new, must sell, owner lvg. Rippledene, Arden-st, Coogee.

POWELL'S, 57 Flinder-st, for good variety PIANOS and ORGANS, from £8 upwards.

A CHEAP Piano, first-rate order, good tone, £10, cash or terms. 175 Devonshire-st.

PIANO, hands. walnut Upright Grand, full iron fr., Carl Wittenberg, £25. 257 P'matta-rd, Leichhrdt.

PIANO for Sale, in good order, £20. V. K., Post-office, Ashfield.

LARGE GRAMOPHONE and RECORDS, £3 10s. 30 Penkivil-st, Bondi.

BROADWOOD Piano, £8 10s, lady seeks buyer immediately. 28 Cleveland-avenue, Surry Hills.

PIANO Repairer and Action Fitter wants Position, good experience. G. L., P.O., Petersham.

PIANO for SALE, no reasonable offer refused. 34 Ricenter-st, city.

WALNUT Iron-frame Piano, almost new, £25, cost £48, terms. C. Randall, 18 L'Avenue, Newtown.

PIANO wanted, must be good instrument, stand test by professional, no agents. 94 Booth-st, A'dale.

FOR SALE, a Hapsburg Piano, in f.c. order, £40, cash or terms. R.F.R., c.o. P.O., Enmore.

WANTED, a good sec.-hand Piano, cash. Price and particulars to G. Kingcott, Joseph-st, Bexley.

WANTED, PIANO, any condition, must state price, make, no misldg. dets. Repairer, Harnleigh P.O.

NEXT SATURDAY.

OCEAN BEACH FRONTAGES, NEWPORT.

Special Motor leaves our Office 10 a.m., Sale Day. Return Tickets 5/. Special Coaches meet at Manly steamers leaving Quay, 10 a.m., 12.30, 1 p.m., 1.30 p.m. Return 2/. TICKETS AND PLANS FROM INTERCOLONIAL INVESTMENT CO., Ltd., 14 Moore-st. RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd., 98 Pitt-street.

SUNRISE ESTATE, KURINGAI.

New 10s 6d UMBRELLAS for all buyers. I am prepared to sell at any reasonable price. Luncheon provided. Catch 1.17 train NEXT SATURDAY.

BLACKWOOD, Haymarket.

BUILDING MATERIALS.

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BEST Buffalo and Couch Turf for Sale, delivered anywhere. M. Collins, Liv'stone-rd, Mvle. T., 1049 Pet.

BRICKBATS given away. Apply 7 and 9, Spring-st, Paddington.

FOR Sale, 2 Lattice Girders, 28ft x 2ft 6in x 8in, cheap. Schmidt and Muller, Lime-st.

SUNRISE ESTATE, KURING-GAI.—Climb the Golden Ladder. Fishing, Boating, Lovely Spot. Catch 1.17 train NEXT SATURDAY.

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POULTRY, DOGS, ETC.

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WANTED, good young Gun DOG, Pointer preferred. 36 Harrow-rd, Stanmore.

FOR Sale, young Black Orpington ROOSTER. Woodside, Frenchman's-rd, Randwick.

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SUNRISE ESTATE, KURINGAI.

Several small FARMS, 3 to 8 acres, to be sold very cheap.

£1 DEPOSIT, £1 MONTHLY.

BLACKWOOD, Haymarket.

FOR SALE.

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PERAMBULATOR, double, splendid order, rubber tyres, cheap, no offrs. Paul's N'agey, Stanmore.

FOR Sale, Pony Merry-go-Round, Razzle-dazzle, To be seen Charing Cross, Waverley.

TWO Sets Castings, complete, for 4-h.p. Motor, w. ... Lathe, 178 Redfern-st, Redf.

BUTCHER'S ICE HOUSE for SALE, cheap. 241 Glebe-rd, near Bridge-rd, Glebe Point.

EUREKA STOVE for SALE, cheap, in good order. 7 Ethel-st, Erskineville, near park.

SERVANTS WANTED.

A SMART GENERAL wanted at once. The Balconies, Bondi Beach. Wages 16s.

A SUPERIOR GIRL, General. Person or letter, Mrs. Fairfax, Farnham, 5 Croydon-st, Petersham.

A LADY Nurse, Needlewoman, 15s (1 walk, child), many Positions, all classes. Horniman, 173 Pitt-st.

A RELIEVING Barmaid, 25s, first-class hotel, subs.; M. Coutie, £90, stn. Flett, 62 Elizabeth-st.

A COOK, 25s, subs., man cook, 1/; M.C., man cook, wife H'md.-L'dress, £104, country. Y.W.C.A.

A WAITRESS, also Housemaid-Waitress wanted at once. 38 Bayswater-rd.

A H'MAID-L'DRESS, 3 in family (adults), Prot. Ap., Wed. morng., evg., 4 Eliz. Bay-rd, D'hurst.

A SMART WAITRESS. BARLEY MOW HOTEL, Parkes.

A YOUNG GENERAL wanted, 2 in fam., gas stove, etc. Mrs. Grant, Invery, 50 Macpherson-st, Waverley.

A GOOD GENERAL, refs. Apply Mrs. E. J. Smith, Wangan, Walker-st, Lavender Bay.

A WAITRESS, 25s; also, WAITER and TEA WAITRESS, highest wages. 1s Market-st, city.

A RESPECTABLE Girl, to assist in light household duties. Apply M'Grath, 8A George-st West.

A HOUSEMAID, good wages, liberal outings, Cardiff, Beach-rd, Rushcutter Bay. Tel., 314 Edgecliff.

A HOUSEMAID-WAITRESS, 16s. 28 Bayswater-rd.

A MARRIED COUPLE, gentleman's house, 60 miles from Sydney, wife competent cook, man gardener, groom, £125. MASON'S, 63 Elizabeth-street.

SERVANTS WANTED.

A CLEAN KITCHENMAN wanted. Macquarie House, 120 Macquarie-st.

A FIRST-CLASS CITY HOTEL wants 2 smart young HOTEL USEFULS, interview 10.30; Housemaid-Gen., 17s; H.-Wtr., country htl., 17s 6d; Cook-Lds., 3 fam., 20s. WALKER'S, Linden-court.

A WAITRESS wanted, good business experience. Mrs. WADE, Toft Monks, Elizabeth Bay-road. Tel., 552 Wm.-st.

AT M'KENZIE'S, 38 Elizabeth-st.—Capable Person, 18s 6d, Scone, family 5, very good home, easy place; Cook Laundress, suburb, 18s, 20s, country 20s; C. Laundress, with a child, 15s, Maitland, small adult family; Cook, man, 30s, Manly; 25s, near city; H.P. Maid, station, 15s, 2 adults, N. line; Mother, Daughter, station, 3 family, 30s; Lady Help, no laundry, able make cakes, 2 adults, 15s, suburb.

AT ISRAEL'S AGENCY, 27 ELIZABETH-STREET. COALMINERS, UNION WAGES. AXEMAN, MARRIED, PIECEWORK, NEWCASTLE. GARDEN and USEFUL MAN, 15s, 20s, PRIVATE. WAITER, TO-DAY, BATHURST SHOW, 25s, FARES. WAITRESS, HOTEL, BATHURST, 15s, TIPS. WAITRESSES, Mountains, 16s, permanent; sev. others. LAUNDRESS, Mount Victoria, 25s, REFRESH. ROOMS. WAITRESS, CAFE, ELEVEN TILL EIGHT, 15s. 100 OTHER VACANCIES, TOWN and COUNTRY.

AT RYAN'S AGENCY, 'Phone, City 3804. 65 ELIZABETH-STREET, SYDNEY. PANTRYMAID, good city hotel, £1. LAUNDRESS, 20s, hotel, country pos. recommended, 25s; KITCHENMAN, 25s; Lad, 15s, ctry. hotel. WOMAN COOK, 25s, hotel, W. Line. USEFULS (3), 20s, city; GARDENER, 20s, suburbs. CHEF and MATE, £3 15s, hotel, N. Line. MARRIED COUPLE, £3 10s, both in kitchen. CHINAMAN COOK, £2, hotel, Tamworth. HOUSEMAIDS, 17s 6d; and WAITRESSES, £1, leading country hotels. Fares paid. CHEF COOK, £2 10s, hotel, W. Line.

BARMAID wanted, front bar. New Zealand Hotel, corner Sussex and Margaret sts.

BARMAN wanted. Trades Hall Hotel, Goulburn-st, city.

BARMAID.—Trustworthy, resp. Girl, for public bar, 3 nights off. Northern Rivers Hotel, Erskine-st.

BARMAID, 20s, hotel, nr. Quirindi; Housekeeper, 16s, school, N. Syd. Wilton, 29 Elizabeth-st.

BARMAIDS (2) wanted, smart, ref. 10 o'clock, Alameda Hotel, Margaret and Kent sts.

BARMAID, public, suburbs, 20s; Barman, Waiter, club; Useful, Housemaids, Waitresses, 16s. N.S.W. Lic. Victuallers' Ag., 18 Eliz.-st. 'Phone, City 1298.

BARMAN, useful, asst. bar; H'mon, H.md, Waitress, H.'md, c'try; Barmaid, F. Ck., 30s. United Lic. Vict. Ass., 17 Linden Court (only), Market-st.

BARMAIDS, saloon, city; H.M.-L'dress, hotel; Barman, young, city, 45s; H. M.-W'tress, hotel, 15s; Cook (w.), 25s; H. M.-Waitress, 20s; Cook, mtn., 30s; Useful, hotel, 20s. STREET'S, 23 Elizabeth-street.

BARMAID, public, city, 30s; WAITRESS, assist bar, country hotel, 20s; 2 Maids, for Armidale; Pantrymaid and Waitress; Housemaid-Waitress, country hotel, 17s 6d; Second Cook, leading hotel, 50s.

FRITH'S AGENCY, 69 Elizabeth-street.

COOK-LAUNDRESS, small adult fam. Apply Glenanaar, New South Head-rd, Double Bay, tram t.

COOK, Chef, residential hotel, city, £5 wk. Enclose copies references to Cuisine, Herald Office.

COOK wtd., sm. boarding-house, assistance given, refs. Baroda, 50 Macleay-st, Potts Point.

COOK, good Plain wanted, at once. Apply Kimberley, 5 York-st, Wynyard-sq.

COOK (temporary), male, to act as 2nd, for hotel, £3 per wk. Paisley's, 68 Hunter-st.

COOKS, 25s, 20s; C. and L. and H. and P'md., stn, 22s 6d, 15s; H.P. Md., ctry., 17/6. 60 Eliz.-st.

COMP. GENERAL, no washing, wages 15s. Lugano, York-rd, Centennial Park.

COOK and Laundress, 2 in family. P. Douglas, Osmund, Nelson-st, opp. Grafton-st, Woollahra.

COMPT. General, wages 18s, another help kept, close tram. Lugano, Harrison-st, Neut. Bay. T., 1308.

COMPT. GENERAL, small family, gd. wages. Coringa, Bennett-st, Neutral Bay.

COMPANION, assist in Household Duties. Station. Plenty Tennis and Driving. Apply by letter, Mrs. Gavel, c/o Con, Carlingford.

COMPETENT GENERAL, by Mrs. Wood, Clytha House, Thrupp-street, Neutral Bay. Tel., North Sydney 502.

COMPANIONABLE HELP, country, for elderly lady, 12s, meet employer 11 o'clock, SCHOLEFIELD, 41 Elizabeth-street.

CAPABLE young General, good plain cook, little housework, no laundry work, other help kept, small family, £1. Mrs. Reg. Broomfield, Bellingham, Sutherland-crescent, Darling Point, Tel., 285 Edge.

COOKS, subs., private and coll., also stns, 25s to 30s, WAITRESSES, charge din. rm., 1st-class club. PANTRYMAIDS, club-house; P. MAID, college. LAUNDRESSES, private and stations, 20s, 22s 6d. KITCHENMAID, club; DRESSMAKER, by the day. MAR. COUPLE, good station, £100. Mrs. WOODIN, 52 P.O.-chbrs., 114A Pitt-st, opp. G.P.O.

COOKS, N. Syd., £1 (2), int. 11.15, Darling Pt., 2 in fam., £1; Wah., £1 (2); Wool., 25s; Pymble, £1, int. 11, others; Laundress, H'mds., 20s, intvs. 11; H.M.N.-Waiters, R. Bay, 15s; H'mds., P. Pt. and E. Bay, 16s and 17s; Par. Md., Wool., 20s; many h. and p.s., at gd. wages, intvs. 10 to 1; C. and L's, sm. fams.; Ch. m. and N. Wm., 1 girl, 16s, int. 11.30; Ch. Md., Wah., 16s; Nurses and N. H. Mds., 15s; L. Helps, 15s. Miss ROWE, London Bank-chambers, Market-street, near Pitt-st.

DORMITORY MAIDS, 15s; 2 H'maids, 15s; Generals, all suburbs. Floyd's, 57 King-st, Newtown.

EXPERIENCED WAITER. Apply, with references, N.S.W. Club, 31 Bligh-st.

GOOD GENERAL, no Sunday work. Apply 310 Bourke-st, Surry Hills.

GENERAL, small cott., gas stove, 3 fam., light pl. Mrs. MacDermott, The Hut, Grasmere-rd, Neut. B.

GOOD place, light Gen., 2 fam., outings. To-day, Mrs. Beatton, Moruya, Eastern-av., Kensington.

GIRL, about 14 yrs., assist light wk., mind boy 2 yrs. old. Wilson, Rashleigh, Marrickville-rd.

GENERAL WANTED for Junee. Write Aberdour, Shirley-rd, Wollstonecraft. Or 'phone, 705 N.S.

GENERAL, must be good plain, cook, no ldry. or boarders, refs. Alameda Hotel, Margaret-st.

GOOD GENERAL, no washing, gas stove, 15s. 93 Union-st, North Sydney. Tel., 699.

GIRL, 14-16, housework, assist shop, meals supp., sleep home. 228 Barcom-av., off Oxf.-st, D'hurst.

GIRL, 12, as Companion and Useful, return for home. M.B., Post-office, Belmore.

GENERAL and Young Housemaid. Mrs. St. John Tucker, Greenmount, Campbell-st, Milson's Point.

GOOD GENERAL, gas stove, no washing or ironing. Sunday off, 3 in fam. 95 George-st, Camperdown.

GIRL wanted for country, good home, immigrant preferred, open one week. 15 Dibbs-st, Alexand.

GOOD General, also relieving maid. Empire Hotel, corner Johnston-st and Parramatta-rd, Annandale.

GENERAL, good Plain Cook, small adult family, h. wages. Ardath, No. 1 Queen's-av., Rush. Bay.

GENERAL wanted, good wages, private family. 21 Gurner-st, off Glenmore-rd, Paddington.

GOOD, useful Lad, for suburban dairy, easy work, good wages. M'Pherson's Dairy, Belmore.

GENERAL, for adult family 4, liberal outings. Fiona, cr. Liverpool and Glenview sts, Pad.

GIRL as working companion, cottage, homely place. Mrs. Miller, 132 Bondi-rd.

GARDENER wanted, good man, jobbing work. G. Violet, 90 Cameron-st, Paddington.

GENERAL SERVANT wanted, good wages. Apply after 9 o'clock, 296 Oxford-st, Bondi Junction.

GENERAL, light duties, no washing, no children, fam. 2, 10s wk., good home, 135 Regent-st, Redfern.

GOOD General wanted, good home, light duties, liberal wages. Mrs. P. Heath, Glenartney, Harrison-street, Neutral Bay.

GOOD Home offered to GIRL leaving school, one willing to learn light household duties. Good wages to start. Tel., 1283 N. Sydney.

GARDENER and milk 2 cows, 30s, keep self, nr. Maitland, intv. 10.45 a.m.; Station Hand, 25s, N. line; Generally Useful Man, 15s, N. Sydney; Houseman, 20s, D'hurst. WILTON, 29 Elizabeth-street.

HOUSE and PARLOUR MAID or light General, 4 in family. Turramurra, 14s. Tel., 80 Wahroonga.

HOUSE and PARLOUR MAID. 25 Wynyard-square, Apply after 10.

HOUSEMAID, General, or Houseman, res. chbrs., 2 afternoons and evngs. wk., gd. home. 73 Phillip-st.

H. P. MDS., 15s, 16s; Cook, 25s; Lady Help, 15s; Governess, £35, 2 children; Pantry Boy, 17s 6d; M.Cs., £80, £75; Gen. Servant, 20s, all subs.; Nurse, 15s, Manly. SWAN, 21 Elizabeth-street.

HOUSEKEEPER for RESIDENTIAL CITY HOTEL, references. MUST BE EXPERIENCED. Inter. 11 to-day, at FRITH'S AGENCY, 69 Elizabeth-street.

HOUSEKEEPER for widower with 2 children at Bankstown, light place, small wages, child not objected to. 545 Crown-street, Surry Hills, near Cleveland-street.

HOUSEMAID-WAITRESS wanted, at once, £1 week to good worker; only smart women need apply. THE TOWERS, Forest-road, Arncliffe.

HOUSEMAID WANTED. Young girl preferred. Apply mornings. Mrs. MACQUEEN, Roslyndale, Roslyndale-avenue, off Edgecliff-road, Woollahra.

HITTMANN'S AGENCY, 61 ELIZABETH-STREET. PLEASE NOTE MY 'PHONE, CITY 4641. THE LEADING RECOG. COUNTRY HOTEL AND STATION SUPPLIER. ESTAB. 27 YEARS. CHEF COOK and Mate, £5, Albury; JAP. CHEF, 50s; CHINESE, 45s, country. SAWMILL HANDS (3), 8s day, general work; 2 Log Fellers; Cook for 15 men, 50s. GARDENER, station, 25s; suburbs, 20s; also LAD, ble kill, milk, West. Line. STATION HANDS (7), kill, groom, milk, R. Rivers (2), 15s; BILLIARD MARKER, 25s, hotel, city. GARDENER, milk cow, drive cart, 20s, suburbs; BUSHMAN, ringbarking, suckering, 25s keep. HOUSEMAN-WAITER, 20s, suburbs; Boots, Porter, 15s, Bathurst; Groom, Yardman, 20s, tips good. MILKMAN, BUTCHER, 30s, Cooma; Surveyor's Camp Cook, 30s; AXE and CHAIN MAN, 30s, references. HOTEL COOK, 35s, country; Houseboy, station, 10s; 5 STATION LADS, kill, milk, 20s, 15s. FARM HANDS, plough, etc., 25s, 7 WANTED, all parts; HOTEL USEFUL, 20s; Bar Waiter, 20s, city. MARRIED COUPLES. £175, Man butcher, slaughter, wife housekeeper. £104, Man cook, Wife H.M.L., station. £95, Man groom, etc., Wife h'keeper, station. MAIDS' DEPARTMENT. HOUSE P. MAID, W. Falls, 15s, small priv. fam., meet emp. 11, good home, every conv. TWO FRIENDS or MOTHER, DTR., £104, N. Line; also Waitress, 1st table, ARMIDALE, exc. tips. HOUSEKEEPER, 20s, good home, comf. quarters. Wages: H.P. Md., subs., 18s; Pantrymd., £1, hotel. WAITRESS, DUBBO, leading hotel, 16s, tips worth 35s.

KITCHENMAN and Useful. Apply Strathmore, 180 Macquarie-st.

KITCHENMAN wanted. Apply after 8 a.m., Mortercy, 67 Macleay-st.

LIGHT General, 3 family, lib. outings. Mostyn, Berthaud, off Burrowong-st, Neutral Bay.

LIGHT GENERAL, 2 adults, good wages, lib. outings. Corner Spencer and Cowles rds, Mosman.

LIGHT HELP, no washing, liberal outings, sleep home, wages 8s. 2 Carlisle-st, Haberfield.

LAUNDRY.—At once, Plain Ironers and Folders, constant. Packer's Laundry, Hereford-st, Glebe.

LADY HELP, assist young baby, light duties, other help kept. Mrs. Woolnough, Albert-st, Strathfield.

LAUNDRY.—Wanted, Shirt and Collar, also all-round Ironer. Ashfield Laundry, 156 Liverpool-rd, Ashf'd.

LAD, useful, for garden, etc., state wages, age, etc. Board and Res. given. C.H., P.O., Blackheath.

LADY'S Help, 4 in family, personal refs. S. T., Homebush P.O.

LADY HELP, all duties, gas stove, gd. wages to suitable girl. Thornleigh, Allen-st, Glebe Point.

LAUNDRY.—Good Machinist, 25s, 4 days wk., and Girl, Hanging-out. Petersham L., 5 Railway-st, P.

LAUNDRY.—Wtd., exp. Shirt and Col. Machinist. N. Syd. Steam Ldry., 135 Mount-st, N. Sydney.

LAUNDRY.—Wtd., Plain Ironers, gd. wages; Folders, 17s 6d wk. 301 Riley-st South, Surry Hills.

LAUNDRY.—Wanted, Shirt Ironer, constant, fare paid. Turramurra Laundry, Turramurra.

LAUNDRY.—Wanted, an expd. Washer, const., gd. wages. Ntwn. Ldry., 462 King-st, Newtown.

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LADY will give Light Services in return for good home, small salary. 118 Herald Office, King-st.

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LAUNDRY.—Wanted, Shirt and Collar or Col. Ironer, top prices. Star Laundry, George-st West.

LAUNDRESS.—Shirt Ironer wanted at once, top prices. Defiance Laundry, 54 Neville-st, Mckville.

LAUNDRY.—Wanted, Collar Machinist, Plain Ironer, Calender Girl. Dorcas Laundry, 174 Forbes-st.

LAUNDRY.—Wanted, Packer and Sorter, and smart Useful Girl. EDWARD LAMBY, 71 Liverpool-road. 'Phone, 720 Ashfield.

LADY HELP, small refined family, light duties. Apply after 2 p.m., Condamine, The Avenue, Randwick, opp. fire station. 'Phone, 301 Randwick.

L. HELP, Prot., assist light duties, sewing, teach 2 boys (4 and 6), mornings, good home and salary, Bay district, fare paid. By letter, Mrs. JOHN SIDES, 43 Harbour-street, Mosman.

LIGHT GENERAL required for small cottage, comfortable home, liberal outings, boat ticket, gas stove; wages 13s. Apply PECK, Jessamine Cottage, Young-street, Neutral Bay.

LIGHT HOUSEKEEPER, or GENERAL, for married couple, in small city flat. Good wages. 231 Macquarie-street.

LIGHT General or Lady Help, no washing, gas stove, 4 in family, cottage, liberal outings. STALBROOKE, Punch-street, Mosman, near Spit-road Junction.

LAUNDRESS, attend barracks, 20s, f.-c. station; also LAUNDRESS, 30s, for HOTEL, Mountains, 3 months' eng. 2 GIRL FRIENDS for Boomi, near Moree: WAITRESS, asst. house, 20s; H'MAID, iron, 20s. BOGGABRI.—Leading Hotel reqs. WAITRESS, 15s; HOUSEMAID, 15s. HOUSE STEWARD and WAITER, f.-c. station, 22s 6d, interview 10.15 a.m., exc. chance. Miss MACNAMARA, Tel., City, 3374. Wentworth-court, 64 Elizabeth-street.

MOTHER and Dghtr., or 2 Friends, Cook 27/6, H.P. Md. 15/, W. line; L. Help, Henry, 57 Eliz.-st.

MAN, able assist housework, milk one cow, little gardening, 20s, sub. McKenzie, 38 Elizabeth-st.

MAN, with good references, used to counter lunch. Apply 12 noon, Crown Hotel, M'Arthur-st, Ultimo.

MOTHER'S HELP, small family, assist all duties. Apply by letter, Airlie, South-st, Marrickville.

MAN wanted, by day, to cut grass, banks and lawns. Apply this morning, about 7.30. URILIWAI, Sutherland-crescent, Darlinghurst.

MARRIED COUPLES, man cook, wife housekeep for bachelors, station, £130, keep. SEE US EARLY. M.C., man boundary rider, wife cook. Out Station. SIMMONDS, 188 Castlereagh-street.

MOTHER and Daughter, or 2 Friends, £130, S.L.; £120, no ldry. work, W.L.; £100, N. line; H'maid-Laundress, 25s, S. line; 4 Cooks, 25s, 30s, stns., W.L.; 30s, S.L.; 25s, R'wick. WILTON, 29 Elizabeth-st.

MAN COOKS, country hotels, £2 10s, £2 keep; KITCHENMAN, 30s, keep; Station Lad, 15s, W. Line; MILK CARTER, £2 5s, suburbs; BOY, learn farming, 8s, keep, South Coast; HOTEL USEFUL 20s. SIMMONDS, 188 Castlereagh-street.

MARRIED Couple, man gardener, wife laundress, furn. cottage, rations, £80, 2 children over 3 yrs. not objected, N.L.; £90, furn. cottage, and keep selves, nr. Goulburn; M. Couple, man milk, garden, etc., wife cook, general, child not objected, £100, N.L.; £100, W.L.; £95, S.L. Wilton, 29 Elizabeth-st.

MARRIED Couples (4), bachelors' qtrs., £95, £104, STATION HANDS (2), milk, kill, etc., 25s, 25s. SCRUB-CUTTER, for sheep station, 25s. FARM HAND, 25s; MILKMAN, 20s. GOVERNESS, teach only plain English, £40. MYERS' AGENCY, 35 ELIZABETH-STREET.

M. COUPLES, man Cook, wife L'dress, subs., £104; man Stn. Hand, wife Cook, £100, stn.; man Station Hand, wife Cook-L'dress, Parkes, £90; Tullamore, £90; Moree, £104. TEAMSTER, able to drive 12 horses and plough, 30s. STATION HANDS, to milk and kill, 20s to 22s 6d. YOUTHS (3), able to milk and drive, stations, N. and West, 12s 6d each. YG. WOMAN COOK, no bread, station, 20s. H. and P. MAID, fine station, another kept, 20s; also, for city house, 20s. L'DRESS, hotels and stations, country, 20s and 25s. TWO FRIENDS, all duties, stn., New Eng. (2 adults), exp. not necessary, 20s, 20s. T., City 1872. SIMPSON BROS., 76 Hunter-st.

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ORCHARDIST. WANTED, a reliable Married Man, for General Orchard Work. WAGES, 30s per week, with Cottage. Apply MANAGER, PALMDALE, Ourimbah.

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RESP. Girl, 15-16, light housework, two family, no washing, cooking. 25 Kenilworth-st, Waverley.

RELIABLE Woman COOK, used to restaurant work. "Ye Mecca," 14 Rowe-street, city. No Sunday or holiday work.

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Wanted, a WARDMAID and a MAID for the Nurses' Dining-room. Apply to the Matron.

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SUPERIOR General, or H'keeper, with schoolgirl, adult fam. (4). Killara. Apply Tel., 124 Ch'wood.

SMART, experienced WAITRESS, start at once, no Sunday work. 115A Bathurst-st.

SYDNEY HOSPITAL.

WANTED, PLAIN IRONER, £1 per week. USEFUL MAN, £5 10s per month. WARDSMAID, £2 18s 8d per month. Apply THE MATRON.

TRUSTWORTHY Person required for invalid's home for housework. State salary, no washing, references. Verity, Herald.

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WTD., GENERAL, good wages, no wash., ano. girl kept, open to Saturday. 23 L'Avenue, Newtown.

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WANTED, good GENERAL, no washing or ironing. 270 Johnston-st, Annandale (Balmain end).

WANTED, GENERAL, small family, evgs. free. Mrs. D. Kirwan, 291 Annandale-st, Annandale.

WANTED, HOUSEMAID. North Annandale Hotel, Johnston-st, Annandale.

WTD., resp. yng. Woman as Light General, 3 in fam., gas stove. Bronte, 85 Johnston-st, Annan.

WANTED, a young Person for plain sewing, by the day. Kyalla, Cavendish-st, Stanmore.

WANTED, strong yg. General, no wash. or cookg., must ast. w. tabl. Viewforth, 111 Vic.-st, Potts P.

WANTED, Waitress-H'maid, wages 16s, references required. Viewforth, 111 Victoria-st, Potts Point.

WANTED, a Woman as Head Waitress, good wages. 207 Victoria-st, Darlinghurst.

WANTED, Young Girl, help all duties. Apply Mrs. Milne, 45 Raglan-st, Mosman.

WANTED, Light General, lib. outings. Apply side door. Mrs. W. J. Hickey, 55 Oxford-st, city.

WANTED, a BOY, able to milk. Apply after 9 a.m., Dairy, Carrol-st, Kogarah.

WANTED, a compt. General, another maid kept. Ap. this morn., Strathglass, Lang-rd, Centen. Park.

WANTED, a Young Man, used to housework. Apply at once. 44 Kensington-st, off George-st West.

WANTED, capable General, light duties. Apply Thursday morning, 204 Edgecliff-rd, Woollahra.

WANTED, Light General or Companionable Help, small family, salary 14s. 76 Spencer-rd, Mosman.

WANTED, Experienced Second Cook, for 83 Restaurant. Apply 128 George-st West.

WANTED, a Temporary House-Parlour Maid, good wages. Karola, Bennett-st, Bondi.

WAITRESS wanted, start at once. Chelsea Dining Room, 22 Sussex-st, city.

WANTED, GENERAL, light duties, sleep home, all nights off. 15 Junction-st, North Sydney.

WANTED, WOMAN, do washing. 94 Mullens-st, Rozelle, Balmain.

WANTED, HOUSEMAID, for station for few months, fare paid both ways. G., Randwick P.O.

WANTED, competent GENERAL, good wages. Mrs. Ross, Malfa, Grosvenor-st, Croydon.

WANTED, good Plain COOK, wages 22s 6d. St. Ronan's, P.H., Ocean Beach, Manly.

WANTED, GENERAL SERVANT, Prot., 4 adults, cottage. Bef. noon, Alford, Want-st, Burwood.

WANTED, Billiard Marker, Hotel Arcadia Rooms, Wednesday, 9 a.m.

WANTED, a good General Help. Apply Mrs. Sansom, St. John's Church Day School, Perry-st, Campsie.

WANTED, an experienced Man as Officer's Cook. Apply Gunroom, H.M.S. Drake.

WTD., active Girl, assist in kit., good wages. Apply Steward, Aust. Golf Club, Addison-st, Kensington.

WANTED, middle-aged LADY, good home, small wages. Apply 897, Herald.

WANTED, respectable Woman, washing and cleaning, 1 day week. Nanomea, Park-rd, Marrickville.

WANTED, a GENERAL, gas stove, three adults. Miss Sparke, Burns-rd, Wahroonga.

WANTED BOY, for laundry cart and useful. Turramurra Laundry, Turramurra.

WANTED, yng. Housekeeper to yng. widower, little girl. State age and wages. R.E.F., Herald.

WANTED, a WOMAN, to do washing and cleaning by day. Mrs. J. S. Perry, Waratah, H'bush-rd, Hbsh.

WANTED, LIGHT GENERAL, easy place, liberal outings, gas stove. 78 Holt-av, Mosman.

WANTED, an experienced Barman. Apply 8 o'clock, Queen's Arms Hotel, Bourke-st, Darlinghurst.

WANTED, Middle-aged Person, light duties, no washing, 2 in family. 29 Annandale-st, Annandale.

WANTED, Second H. Maid, a little l'dry work. After 6, or letter, Mrs. Wright, Bishopscourt, Darl'g Pt.

WANTED, Light General, 2 in family. Apply at once. 1a Birchgrove-rd, Balmain.

WANTED, Cook-Gen., 20s; Nur. H'maid kept. Mrs. Partridge, Killara. Tel., 271 Chatswood.

WANTED, for Gosford, a resp. mid.-aged Woman for a month. Apply Adella, Gosford P.O.

WANTED, competent Cook-Laundress; also House-P'maid, refs. Mrs. Allan, Treago, Hunter's H.

WANTED, WOMEN, for house cleaning, mornings only. Apply 211 William-st.

WORK. H'keeper (lady), all duties, no washing or ironing, sm. fam., £1 wk. Hunt, Burwood P.O.

WTD., yng. Woman Office Cleaner, refs. req. Apply 9 o'cl., Mrs. Bonnor, 111 Bourke-st, Woolm'loo.

WANTED, at once, Buridi sta. Cook, 22s 6d; H'md., 18s, int. 10, No. 15, rd floor, 82 King-st.

WAITRESS, ctry. hotel, at once, 15s; Cook, L'dress, stn., 22s 6d. Miss Esther, 82 King-st.

WANTED, a smart Girl, for Pantry, and assist waiting, 17s 6d. Naringla, Beach-rd, Darling Point.

WANTED, respectable GIRL, to assist with housework, or Lady Help. 9 L'Avenue, Newtown.

WANTED, USEFUL WOMAN or GIRL. Apply 76 Erskine-st, city.

WANTED, Man, to scrub new Cottages. Gilderthorpe-av., off Frenchman's-rd, Randwick.

WANTED, good General, all duties, gd. wg., sm. ad. f. Mrs. Prentice, Fergus Ville, Clanville-rd, Rsvle.

WANTED, a yg. Woman as Cook, refs. required. Apply to Miss Hill, 43 Bent-st, city.

WANTED, NURSE-GIRL, 10s. Mrs. Nicholl, Penola, New South Head-rd, Double Bay.

WANTED, young Woman for few days' work. Apply 108 Phillip-st, after 7 o'clock.

WANTED, Nurse Girl, to mind one child, good home. Mrs. Grace, 585 Crown-st, Surry Hills.

WANTED, smart WAITRESS, good wages, no Sunday work, good tips. Kosher Cafe, 105 C'rgh-st.

WAITRESS and H'MAID, for country hotel, Walgett, wages 17s 6d. Talbot, Hotel Brok., Eliz.-st.

WANTED, smart USEFUL, references. Temple Bar Hotel, 312 George-street.

WTD., com. Gen., good wages, lib. outings. Mrs. Monro, Kenyon, Kurraba-rd, N.B. T., N.S. 229.

WANTED, superior young GIRL, light h'work, sewing, 3 in fam., own bedroom. 3 Raymond-rd, Neut. B.

WANTED, a Lady Help, good wages. Mrs. Wade, Wolseley-st, Drummoyne.

WANTED, yg. Girl, assist housework, gd. home, light place. 40 Elizabeth-st, Rozelle.

WANTED, GIRL for General Housework, no washing or ironing. S. h. Bayview, Broadstair-st, Bal.

WANTED, strong Youth, make himself gen. useful. Aberdeen Steam Laundry, Broadstair-st, Balmain.

WAITRESSES (2), used to grill room; also Pantrymaid. 87 Goulburn-st, city, side entrance.

WANTED, useful Man or Woman, housework, assist at table. Viola, 216 Victoria-st, Darlinghurst.

WANTED, Young Girl to assist. Mrs. Ballantyne, Blantyre, Ernest-st, North Sydney.

WTD., Girl, abt. 14, Light Duties, sleep home. Mrs. Hannan, Sewerby Cottage, 140 Flood-st, L'hardt.

WANTED, Reliable Girl to mind child, 3 years. Moss, Audley-st, Petersham.

WANTED, 2 smart, experienced Waitresses, top wages. Apply No. 9 Argyle-st, Miller's Point.

WANTED, HOUSEMAID, assist in dining-room. International, 203 Sussex-st.

WANTED, light General, 2 in family, good wages. Passy, Prospect-rd, Summer Hill, nr. rly. line.

WANTED by resp. young Woman, washing, ironing, cleaning by day, city pr. Genuine, Wm.-st P.O.

WANTED, experienced WAITRESS, £1; also Housemaid. Exchange Coffee Palace, 77 Sussex-st.

WANTED for sub., person with a walking child as light General. Apply F., Drummoyne P.O.

WANTED, a compt. Houseboy. Apply after 10, Burrelda, Rockwall-crescent, Potts Point.

WANTED, Girl as General, sm. cott., near city, lady in bus. Room 12, 3rd floor, Ocean H., Moore-st.

WANTED, Kitchenmaid, for restaurant, no Sunday work, gd. wages. Apply 81 Phillip-st.

WANTED, Pantryman, assist in dining-room. Apply 9.30 a.m., Y.M.C.A., Pitt-st.

WANTED, young GENERAL, 4 in family, and good wages. 117 Parramatta-rd, Annandale.

WANTED, General, for small family; also a Girl, to assist in fish shop. 139 Parramatta-rd, Annandale.

WANTED, a General, good wages, no family, liberal outs. 139 George-st North, next Red X Chemist.

WANTED, General, good wages, gas stove, no washing. Mrs. Tomlinson, Indaba, Doncaster-av, Kens.

WANTED, good General or Cook-Laundress, h'maid kept. After 9 o'c., Hotel Beauchamp, Oxford-st.

WANTED, General Useful and assist in bar. Palace Hotel, Flinders and Dowling sts, Moore Park.

WANTED, a Waitress; also Girl, for kit. and pantry. Devonshire D.R., 54 Devonshire-st, city.

WAITRESS, also KITCHENMAN, must be experienced. Armstrong, 90 William-st.

WANTED, Useful GIRL, able to wait table, wages 12s week. Apply 50 Dowling-st, Paddington.

WANTED, Sculleryman, General, Waitress, and Midday Waitress. Apply 227 Oxford-st, D'hurst.

WANTED, General, able to cook. Apply after 9, Gulgong Hotel, Bourke-st, Darlinghurst.

WANTED, good Kitchenman, sober. Macquarie House, Macquarie-st.

WANTED, a Waitress, no Sunday work. Apply early, 115 Castlereagh-st, city.

WAITRESS, ref. rooms, railway, 15s; same, hotel, ctry. and city. Welch, 112 Castlereagh-st.

WANTED, Night WATCHMAN. H. Glenn, 60 Ivy-st, Redfern.

WANTED, USEFUL, ref. required, must be exper. Exchange Hotel, Crown-Collins sts, Surry Hills.

WANTED, good GENERAL, Apply Hopetoun Hotel, Bourke-st, S.H.

WANTED, good WASHER, at once. 140 Palmer-st, near William-st.

WANTED, a strong GIRL, for housework, no washing. 102 Bulwarra-rd, Pyrmont.

WANTED, a Man, garden and milk, generally useful. Apply Etham, Etham-av., Darling Point.

WANTED, A HOUSEMAID. Apply Mrs. Bulimore, Larwea, Mona-rd, Darling Point.

WANTED, a NURSEMAID, sleep home, Iye-Naild, Beach-rd, Rushcutter Bay.

WANTED, Houseman, hotel, no bedrooms, refs. Write B.B., P.O., Paddington, all letters answered.

WANTED, Barmaid, 3d bar, young, ref. req. Apply 11 a.m., British Empire Hotel, Geo.-st, Hymkt.

WANTED, Lady Help, gas stove, every conv., sm. fam. 2, Ariel, Ocean-st, Bondi, nr. P.O.

WANTED, a compt. Pantryman. Apply 76 Darlinghurst-rd.

WANTED, a GENERAL. Apply Mrs. Blue, Didcot, 11 Alice-st, Glebe.

WANTED, respt. GIRL, light gen., no washing, 3 in fam., good wages. 3 Victoria-rd, Glebe Point.

WANTED, WOMAN to-day for Washing, and every Monday, 4s. 40 Hereford-st, Glebe Point.

WANTED, YARDMAN, must be good milker, union wages. Smith Bros., Lower Forth-st, Woollahra.

WANTED, House-Parlourmaid. Mrs. Hargrave, Wunulla, rd, Woollahra Point. Fare paid.

WAITRESSES and Kitchenmaids, smart, wanted, at once, good wages. Austrian Cafe, 55 King-st.

WANTED, Pantry and Kitchen Maid, start once, no Sun. work, 15s. Mrs. Harwood, Engine-st, city.

WANTED, Domestic Help, adult fam., 4, 14s. Apply to-day, all week, 4 Cambridge-st, Stanmore.

WANTED, USEFUL. Apply early, Oddfellows' Hotel, Haymarket.

WANTED, a good GENERAL, 3 adults family, must have reference. 147 Enmore-rd, Enmore.

WANTED, H'keeper, 30, 4 adults, P'sham, 15s, Prot., refs. required. Gregg's, 72 Enmore-rd.

WTD., L. Help, 17s, stn.; C., L., 22s, and H.P. Md., 17s; or M., Dtr., 40s, stn. Gregg's, 72 Enmore-rd.

WTD., y. M.C., for S. hotel, wife gen., man useful, exp., 30s wk., plain fam. Gregg's, 72 Enmore-rd.

WANTED, a Female COOK. Abbotsford, Raglan-st. Leave boat Musgrave-st, Mosman.

WANTED, Second COOK. Australasian Dining Room, 20 Regent-st, city.

WANTED, young Man as USEFUL. London Tavern Hotel, Regent-st, Redfern.

WANTED, a WOMAN, 3 days a week, for pantry. Apply Sargent's, Ltd., Zoo, Gardens, Cleveland-st.

WANTED, resp. WOMAN, 30, all duties, 1 lady, can cook. 178 Commonwealth-st, city.

WANTED, compet. General Servant, no washing, 15s. Miss Miller, Oberuyl, Liverpool-rd, Strathfield.

WANTED, young WOMAN for household duties, good home, good wages. Apply 69 Baptist-st, Redfern.

WANTED, experienced BARMAID, refs. required. D. O'Brien, Crown Hotel, Crown and Cleveland sts.

WANTED, smart WAITRESS, start at once. 5 Pitt-st. Good wages.

WANTED, smart WAITRESS. 615 George-st.

WANTED, General SERVANT, gas stove. Apply Excelsior Hotel, Bridge-rd, Glebe.

WANTED, smart Waitresses, experienced. 81 George-st West.

WANTED, a young Girl for housework, priv. family. 41 Bent-st, off Stewart-st, Paddington.

WANTED, GENERAL, all duties, gd. wages, comf. home. Apply 2 Windsor-st, Paddington.

WANTED, young Girl as General, sleep home. 21 Camden-st, Newtown.

WANTED, strong Girl, assist in housework, good wages, no wash. 107 Darlinghurst-rd, D'hurst.

WANTED, at once, Woman to wash. Mrs. Masters, 254 Elizabeth-st, city.

WANTED, Kitchenmaid, some knowledge cooking, 4 evgs wk. and half-day. 372 Victoria-st, D'hurst.

WANTED, young GIRL, light duties, good home, good wages. 10 Leichhardt-st, Waverley.

WANTED, young GENERAL, 2 in family, Protestant. 61 Victoria-st, Waverley.

WANTED, General, no washing, gas stove, wages 15s. Ashleigh, M'kville-rd, M'kville, n. South-st.

WANTED, a HANDYMAN. Apply Arkinstall's job, Noble-st, Mosman.

WANTED, LIGHT GENERAL to assist housekeeper, only 2 adults, no cooking. Ring up Mosman 916.

WANTED, GENERAL, all holidays, Saturday and Sunday attns. off. No. 7 Carlisle-st, Leichhardt.

WANTED, a strong, useful, little Girl, as Nursegirl, start once. Ham, Beef Shop, 142 Norton-st, Lehdt.

WANTED, LADY HELP or GENERAL, for Mosman, by April 30. By letter, Mrs. Charlie Byrne, Moorong, Leura.

WANTED, Cook and Laundress and Housemaid, mother and daughter, or sisters, pref. Apply, before 12 a.m. or 4 p.m. Killarney, Spit-rd, Mosman.

WANTED, young General, small fam., easy place, gd. wages. Apply Garuey, Holt-street, off Lower Ocean-street, Double Bay.

WANTED, GENERAL, no washing, must be good cook, housemaid kept, three adults. Bellevue Hill tram. 'Phone, 90 Waverley.

WANTED, gd. Shirt and Collar Hand; shirts 2/, collars 3d doz. Wilson's, Glenfield Laundry, Harp-st, Campsie.

WANTED, a HOUSEKEEPER, for country, good wages and good home, for respectable person, easy place. Ap. after 7 o'clock, 18 Wilton-st, Surry H.

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